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IT WAS A BLUNDER.

The British Government Making a Mess of the Osborne Case.

EXPRESSIONS OF SYMPATHY FOR THE PERSECUTED WOMAN.

Nova Scotia's Burdens Set Forth—Impeachment Proceedings Against a Portuguese Ex-Official—Airing Canadian Boodlers—Russian Food Inspection to Prevent Adulteration.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The more light that is thrown upon the case of the Mrs. Osborne, who is now confined in Halloway Jail Infirmary, and the more the conduct of the Treasury officials in regard to the bungling which followed her arrest is investigated the greater is the degree of sympathy expressed for the unhappy lady. In fact, there seems to be no doubt that the attention of Parliament will be called to the heartless behavior of the law officers of the Crown. Full reparation, from a financial standpoint, has already been made to all persons interested, and few people can see the necessity of heaping unnecessary pain upon a broken-hearted and repentant woman. Nobody would be surprised if a jury finds Mrs. Osborne guilty, strongly recommends her to mercy, and if the presiding justice inflicts a merely nominal penalty upon her.

The only obstacle in the way of abandoning her prosecution seems to be the dread public officials have nowadays of public clamor and the fear they have of being taxed with favoring Mrs. Osborne, the wife of Capt. Osborne of the army, while it might be thrown in their faces that they would not so favor a woman in an humbler walk of life.

WANT AN EXAMPLE.

In other words, the case of Mrs. Osborne has now attracted so much attention that the law officers of the Crown seem to believe that public opinion demands or will demand that Mrs. Osborne be made an example of in the interests of justice, or to put it plainly, in the interests of trying to show that the English law is meted out with the utmost impartiality to rich and poor alike, to the washerwoman and to the wife of, say a captain in the army.

It is this spirit of belief which is causing the Treasury officials to blunder along, trampling upon an almost broken-hearted woman, who has already suffered the most severe punishment, in a stupid effort to try and prove that the rich man's law and the poor man's law are identical, as if any person in their sober senses would admit this to be true.

Mrs. Osborne's state of health is such that it would not be astonishing if she were to go entirely out of her mind. She is utterly prostrated by grief, refuses all food, and seems unable to do anything but continually cry and moan, feebly calling for her husband and desperately imploring his forgiveness for the shame and sorrow she has brought down upon him. The prison keepers at Holloway, hardened and accustomed as they are to the most trying scenes, say that it would draw sympathy from a heart of stone to witness the terrible, hopeless grief of poor Ethel Osborne.

EXPRESSION OF SYMPATHY.

Mrs. Hargreaves, the wife of Maj. Hargreaves, and the lady from whom Mrs. Osborne took the jewelry which she subsequently pawned for £3,000 to pay Lewis & Sons, the jewelers, in an interview to-day, said that she freely forgave Mrs. Osborne everything and that she was deeply sorry for her. In Mrs. Hargreaves' opinion Mrs. Osborne has already been sufficiently punished and, Mrs. Hargreaves added, she would do anything in her power to save her from a term of imprisonment. "But," Mrs. Hargreaves concluded sadly, "everything is in the hands of the Treasury Department who will conduct the prosecution."

The *Daily News*, commenting on the case, says: "The proceedings in the Osborne case are by no means creditable to the treasury and should be thoroughly investigated by Parliament."

The *Chronicle* says: "The Treasury has blundered badly. Its apparent attempt to shield Osborne will receive an ugly name in Parliament."

NOVA SCOTIAN DUTIES.

THE BURDENS OF THE PROVINCE SET FORTH IN A MESSAGE.

HALIFAX, Nova Scotia, Feb. 6.—The following numerously signed message from the west coast of Newfoundland has been cabled to Lord Knutsford:

"We entreat your lordship to lay the following facts before the Queen's most excellent majesty. Notwithstanding the fact that a notice appeared in a Newfoundland royal gazette on the 10th of March last, stating that no factory not in operation on the 1st of July, 1889, was to be allowed to be operated, instructions were telegraphed here on the 18th of March by the Premier of Newfoundland, Sir Wm. Whiteway, to 'go ahead,' which instructions were considered as law and were acted upon by many packers who otherwise would not have engaged in the lobster industry. When Her Majesty's ships arrived here it was found that the instructions issued by the leaders of Newfoundland's government were in direct opposition to the modus vivendi and all new factories were closed. Consequently the capital invested in this enterprise was lost. Many families were thrown out of employment and left destitute. On the other hand, we are in a measure debarred from engaging in cod fishing by the French, who occupy the principal fishing stations on this shore, and if by chance we are allowed to cure a voyage, a high duty is imposed upon our fish by the Canadian government in consequence of the pugnacious attitude assumed by the Newfoundland government towards Canada which is the only available market for our codfish, herring and lobsters. Owing we believe, to the lack of diplomatic skill displayed by Colonial secretary Bond whilst endeavoring to negotiate a treaty with the United States, which would meet the approval of Her Majesty's Government, we are shut out of a market of 60,000,000 of people. On the 9th ult. it was proclaimed by His Excellency that an extra duty had been placed on farm products and other importations from Canada. Previous to this discrimination we were groaning under heavy taxation imposed by the Newfoundland Government, and now we see nothing ahead of us but starvation. We, therefore, respectfully beseech Her Majesty to unite to the treaty shore with Canada or proclaim Newfoundland a Crown colony, as we are convinced that the present Government of Newfoundland is totally incapable of governing the island."

It is claimed that the dispatch was promptly ridiculed by politicians opposed to the present Government of Newfoundland.

A MINISTER DISGRACED.

IMPEACHMENT PROCEEDING AGAINST A PORTUGUESE EX-OFFICIAL.

LISBON, Feb. 6.—The motion made in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday by Senor Arriega, demanding the impeachment of Senor Marianno Carvalho, ex-Minister of Finance, has been referred to a committee. The motion grew out of Senor Carvalho's action while holding the portfolio of Minister of Finance in advancing to the Royal Railway Co. the sum of 18,000,000 francs on his own responsibility and without the knowledge of his colleagues. About the middle of last month Senor Carvalho informed the Council of Ministers of what he had done and the President of the Council laid the matter before the Cortes. The Council of Ministers, the President said, had declined to accept any responsibility in the matter, and Senor Carvalho had resigned. The President further declared that his efforts to find a man who would accept the office of Finance Minister had failed, and that in consequence the whole ministry had resigned.

Senhor Carvalho afterwards explained in both chambers the nature of his proceedings during his term of office. He stated that he had arranged for payments amounting to 17,000 centos of reis during this period, and when he accepted office the only resources available were 600 centos remaining from the tobacco loan.

Senhor Carvalho was visibly affected in making his statement. He said he supposed his political career was at an end, but that if all his combinations for saving the country from financial disaster had been revised he would have been a hero. He had, however, saved the country from bankruptcy on three occasions—in June, October and January—when he had secured the payments of the coupons then falling due.

BRITISH POLITICS.

A CRITICISM ON THE M'KINLEY BILL DENOUNCED AS TWADDLE.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The Sheffield *Telegraph* is furious at the recent speech of the Rt. Hon. Anthony J. Mundella, Member of Parliament for the Right Side Division of Sheffield and formerly the President of the Board of Trade in Mr. Galdstone's last cabinet. Mr. Mundella, in the speech referred to, described the new commercial treaties as being a general break-up of the tariff on the Continent, saying that he believed that the McKinley bill was the harbinger of free trade. The Sheffield *Telegraph* says in this connection that it admires Mr. Mundella's forensic tact, but ventures to say that it was not tempered with discretion, and then asks if the Liberals will believe such "twaddle."

M'CARTHY'S ELECTION.

DUBLIN, Feb. 6.—The *Independent* (Parnellite) says that the re-election yesterday of Mr. Justin McCarthy as Chairman of the section of the Irish Parliamentary party, opposed to the policy of the Parnellites, was due to a compromise arrived at in order to avoid offending the numerous aspirants for the chairmanship, not one of whom could command a majority, but whose defeat would have split the McCarthyites into several sections. The *Freeman's Journal* (McCarthyite) admits that other anti-Parnellites are better qualified than Mr. McCarthy for the chairmanship, but, it adds, in the present organization of the party their services will be best given from the ranks.

CANADA'S BOODLERS.

SERIOUS CHARGES AGAINST OFFICIALS MADE PUBLIC.

TORONTO, Feb. 6.—The *Globe* publishes today serious charges against Sir Adolph Caron, Postmaster-General, and Tarte, who made charges that resulted in Sir Hector Langevin's downfall, and will call for reopening of inquiry of last session. It will publish fac similes of documents in checks, which, it claims, prove that Sir Adolph drew upon funds in Thomas McGreevy's hands for the election of 1887, and that Tarte also received some of the money; also that boodling was carried on in Quebec District directly under the personal superintendency of the ministers of the crown and on regular business principles. Several members of Parliament are alleged to be implicated. The fac similes, it is stated, include one showing payment to Phillip Landry of $2,000 on the order of Sir Adolph. It states that evidence can be obtained from various sources to astound the world, and invites any person whose names are printed in the documents published, or to be published, to bring action for libel in the courts of Ontario or Quebec.

FOOD INSPECTION.

GREAT VIGILANCE ENJOINED TO PREVENT ADULTERATIONS.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 6.—Lieut.-Gen. Count Ignatieff, Governor General of Kief, Volhini and Podolia, has sent a circular letter to the governors under his control, enjoining upon them the utmost vigilance in inspecting grain and flour intended for the use of the famine sufferers and declaring that they must adopt vigorous measures to prevent any adulteration. The Governors are instructed to immediately dismiss police officials who are detected in conniving at frauds. The Ameer of Bokhara has informed Baron Wrevski, Governor-General of Turkestan, that having heard of the distress in Russia and as a proof of his attatchment to the Russian throne he has decided to contribute the sum of 100,000 roubles to the famine relief fund of which the Czarwitch is president.

GENERAL FOREIGN NEWS.

AUSTRIAN COMMISSIONERS TO THE WORLD'S FAIR—BRIEF MENTION.

VIENNA, Feb. 6.—The nominations of the officials who are to compose the Chicago Commission will be made in a few days. It is known, however, that the Marquis De Bacquehem, Minister of Commerce, will be President of the commission, and that M. Isbary and M. Mauthner will be vice-presidents. An executive committee is being formed in order to assist the commission in furthering the work of providing for a proper representation of Austria at the World's Fair. The President of the Chamber of Commerce of this city will have control of the auxiliary arrangements.

BEHRING SEA MATTERS.

OTTAWA, Feb. 6.—W. S. Parmalee, Assistant Commissioner of Customs, and Douglass Stearl, private secretary to the Minister of Justice, will accompany the three ministers to Washington on Monday next. Nothing definite as to the precise nature of the visit can be ascertained, but it is thought that as Behring Sea matters are coming rapidly to a head Mr. Blaine considers the time opportune to discuss the numerous other questions, including the trade issue now pending between the two countries.

AUSTRIAN FINANCES.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The *Times* says there is the highest authority for the statement that the Austrian currency reform will not involve the sale of any portion of the silver which the Austro-Hungarian Bank holds on behalf of the Government.

MERCHANTS IMPRISONED.

ZANZIBAR, Feb. 6.—Seventy-five British Indian merchants in Mombasa have been imprisoned for refusing to pay the trade license charge. The action of the authorities has caused much excitement.

BRIEF MENTION.

British dissenters are gratified at the fact that the Bishop of Rochester has announced his intention of attending the funeral services of the late Rev. Charles H. Spurgeon.

Two American pickpockets named Best and Samson have been found guilty of robbing Marquis Pizzardi of his pocket-book at Monte Carlo. Best was sentenced to two years' imprisonment and Samson to six months.

M. Bouvier, French Minister of Finance, has been confined to his bed for five days. He is suffering from a severe attack of influenza.

SLASHED TO DEATH.

A Frenzied Wife's Horrible Work With a Razor.

CHARLES TRAVIS THE VICTIM OF HIS INSANE WIFE'S FURY.

A Leading Prohibitionist Under a Cloud—Tortured by Robbers—Mutilated Corpse Found in the Indian Territory—Clever Scheme of a Bank Clerk—Murdered for a Trifle—Criminal News.

MILAN, Tenn., Feb. 6.—A horrible tragedy was enacted in Carroll County last night. Chas. Travis and wife have been having domestic troubles for some time. A few days since the wife pushed one of the children into the fire, burning it badly. The husband in a fit of anger kicked her from the door. She swore to kill him. Last night while the man was sleeping she procured a razor and slashed and cut his face and throat in a dozen places. The wounded man grappled with her and secured the razor, then sank dying to the floor. When help arrived the woman was covered with blood and was in the act of shooting herself. It is thought she was insane when the bloody deed was done, as she has been brooding over her troubles.

UNDER A CLOUD.

TROY, N. Y., Feb. 6.—Charles H. Benedict, for several years confidential bookkeeper for H. Clay Bascom, the prospective prohibitionist nominee for President, has disappeared under a cloud. When last heard from he was in Atlanta, Ga. He was a prominent member of the Methodist Church, which appointed a committee to investigate the matter, as Mr. Bascom refused to give any reason for the young man's disappearance to outsiders. He gave the church committee, however, the desired information. It was to the effect that Benedict for years had been using a system of false entries. He also resorted to writing Mr. Bascom's name on notes and neglected to pay insurance premiums. Just how the shortage amounts to is not known, but it is expected to be many thousand dollars. Benedict left his wife here and she had no intimation of what he had done.

THE BEATT MURDER INQUIRY.

DE SOTO, Mo., Feb. 6.—Coroner James held a post-mortem examination over the remains of Wm. Beatt, who was shot yesterday by J. L. Hamel two miles west of Silica, and returned a verdict that death was caused by a gun-shot wound fired by the hands of J. L. Hamel. Mrs. Beatt, wife of the murdered man, the only witness of the tragedy, tells a plain and connected story. From all she says it seems the two had quarrelled about some business matters which ended by each demanding from the other some article borrowed, an account which is also denied in yesterday's POST-DISPATCH. Hamel gave himself up to the authorities at Festus and was yesterday brought before Justice Warren for trial, but waived examination until the 25th inst. in order to secure counsel. Hamel claims to have acted in self defense.

BORCHERS' CLEVER SCHEME.

HAMBURG, Io., Feb. 6.—About a month ago Albert Borchers was employed as bookkeeper for the Bank of Hamburg of this place. He was intrusted with the combination to the vault door. Wednesday evening the cashier was called from the bank and during his absence Borchers put the time lock in such a condition that when the cashier returned and closed the safe the lock failed to work. During the night Borchers returned, unlocked the vault and opened the safe, taking $7,100.55, after which he put the time lock in proper condition, relocked the safe, setting it or 10 o'clock the next day, locked the vault and took the 2:30 train for Council Bluffs. A reward of $1,000 is offered for Borchers' apprehension.

TORTURED BY ROBBERS.

VALPARAISO, Ind., Feb. 6.—William Silvenski, an aged Polander, living near Michigan City, was visited by masked men early yesterday morning and beaten into insensibility. Silvenski is 75 years old and is eccentric in his habits, living in an old shanty after the manner of a hermit. He was known to possess considerable money, but even after torturing the old man his assailants were unable to secure any of his hoard. After frightfully beating their victim the furniture in the house was demolished and an attempt made to set fire to the building, but in accomplishing their purpose the robbers were frightened away. The affair has caused much excitement.

KENTUCKY WHITE CAPS.

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., Feb. 6.—A colored desperado of Todd County, named John Pendleton, was arrested several days since on some ugly charges. He was known to have made many violent and insulting threats against different citizens. A mob of twenty-five or thirty men went to the jail last night, got possession of Pendleton, took him into the adjoining woods, where they beat him nearly to death and ordered him to leave the county, which he did after going to a physician and having his wounds dressed. Pendleton says the mob was composed of "White Caps."

NEW LAW POINT INVOLVED.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 6.—Judge Green of the United States Circuit Court has denied to Counsellor Charles J. Pershait, a writ of habeas corpus in the case of Hallinger, the Jersey City wife murderer, who is sentenced to be hanged Wednesday. An appeal will be taken which will stay the execution. Hallinger was sentenced to be hanged without a trial, having pleaded guilty. His counsel now seeks to save his life by raising the point that Hallinger has never been legally convicted, as he was not tried by a jury which is guaranteed by the constitution. The point is a new one in the practice of law.

HE'S AN EMBEZZLER.

TROY, N. Y., Feb. 6.—It was found to-day that Chas. Benedict, book-keeper for H. Clay Bascomb, is an embezzler. He disappeared nearly a month ago, and is believed to be in Germany. The extent of his embezzlement, it is believed, will reach $10,000. He also forged a note for $1,500. He is a prominent churchman, and a committee appointed to examine reports of his misconduct have found evidence warranting his expulsion from the church.

A MURDERER'S VICTIM.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 6.—Another murder is reported from Indian Territory. The body of a white man, apparently 50 years old, was found on a road in the Going Snake district with his head crushed. He had been killed with a large rock. His pockets were inside out and empty. A pocket book lay near the body. Letters and telegrams scattered on the ground were addressed to M. T. Altinger, Denver, Colo.

REWARD FOR MAIL ROBBERS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The Post-office authorities have ordered a reward of $1,000 for the apprehension of the thieves who committed the recent postal bag robberies. Second Assistant Postmaster Beto and Chief Inspector Wheeler of Washington have come to this city to day to take a hand in the case.

BROKE JAIL.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Feb. 6.—James Donovan of St. Paul, held for trial for burglary of the residence of a priest; John Wilson, a Chicago tramp printer, convicted of burglary of a mill, and Chester Bell, a boy under sentence to reform school for burglary, broke out of the County Jail at 6 o'clock last night and made for the woods. Officers are in pursuit.

WAITING FOR A MOB.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 6.—Five suspects have been arrested for the outrage of Wednesday night. The Sheriff was afraid to bring the men to the house of Mrs. Crump to be identified for fear the mobs might lynch them, but he took her to the jail yesterday afternoon and she did not identify any one of them. The Sheriff had a guard of fifty men to prevent violence. The crowds surrounded the jail last night, and dispersed but slowly at the request of Mayor Crommelin. A gatling gun has been placed at the jail.

A GIRL'S SERIOUS CHARGE.

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 6.—Father Kolosinski, pastor of St. Anthony's parish Catholic Church, was arrested last evening on a warrant sworn out by the parents of Frances Jokovski, an 11-year-old girl in his parish, who alleges that the priest committed a criminal assault upon her on Sept. 15 last and at divers times since. The girl had been employed as a domestic in Father Kolosinski's house, and has not the best kind of a reputation. The priest denies the charge and says it is a blackmailing scheme. The defendant was released on $4,000 bail.

MURDERED FOR A TRIFLE.

PARIS, Feb. 6.—An old woman living in Rue Rambuteau was found yesterday by her paramour, a man named Guichon, lying dead on the floor of her home. The body was terribly gashed, and an investigation showed that robbery was the motive for the murder, but that only 25 sous were obtained.

FOUND MURDERED.

ANNISTON, Ala., Feb. 5.—Lida Davis, an 18-year-old mulatto girl, was found near the L. & N. round-house yesterday morning in an unconscious condition, her head and face beaten in a horrible manner. The girl, it appears, while walking along the track was assaulted by unknown ruffians. The girl is in a serious condition and may not recover.

PROFESSIONAL POISONERS.

BUDA PESTH, Feb. 5.—A judicial inquiry recently held at Nensats, a town of Hungary on the Danube, has resulted in the indictment of three old women, named Pionieski, Kurjakoov and Kerniser, for the murder of ten peasants. It is charged that the crimes were instigated by the wives of the victims. The inquiry also revealed the existence of a class of professional poisoners living in villages of Southern Hungary.

FOUND GUILTY.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 5.—Market Clerk David Hastings, the first of the Allegheny City officials indicted for embezzlement, to be tried, was found guilty by the courts. He was remanded to jail for sentence. The case of Mayor Wyman for embezzlement and extortion will begin at once.

LONDON THEATERS.

Gaiety Resuming Sway After the Mourning Season.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—With a slight decrease in the number of cases of influenza and the lapse of time since the death and funeral of the Duke of Clarence and Avondale the theaters are again filling. The concerts, too, which have felt the effects of the prevailing disease and period of mourning for the Duke, are better attended. The week, however, has thus far been without an event worthy note. The sole novelty will be the opening of the Prince of Wales Theater, under the management of Mr. C. A. Abud, formerly acting manager of the Gaiety Theater, which event will occur to-night with the presentation of the new comic opera of "Black-Eyed Susan," the libretto of which is by Mr. G. W. Sims and Mr. Henry Pettit and the music by Mr. Osmond Carr.

Sir Augustus Harris, the well known operatic and theatrical manager, is still in Hamburg, where he is arranging the details of a projected season of German opera in London. The report that has been circulated that he has decided to take a German and Italian opera company to New York is absolutely untrue. He has too much to do in London, and it is doubtful if opera has proved profitable enough in New York to induce him to embark upon such an expensive venture without a pretty large guarantee against loss.

Sir August proposes to perform once in London the complete operatic tetralogy "Der Ring des Nibelungen" and "Die Walkure," or other sections of the tetralogy, for which the public showed its preference several times. He will also probably present "Tristan und Isolde," and "Fidelio." He has engaged Herren Alvary and Wiegard, Fraulein Klafski and other eminent German artists, and is trying to secure Herr Polini to conduct the orchestra.

Henry Arthur Jones' experiment as an author and manager has not been a success, and he will end his season at the Avenue Theater in a few weeks. Miss Marion Lea, who during the early part of November was married to Dr. Mitchell of Boston, Mass., will succeed him. She will give five matinees at the Avenue Theater, commencing Feb. 22, with "Deborah," written by her husband. This play deals with incidents of the American civil war.

Owing to the illness of Miss Grace Hawthorne, the production of Boulding's "Hero and Leander" has been abandoned.

Miss Hugh Bell has translated a Scandinavian play for Miss Elizabeth Robbins, the American actress.

The theatrical profession has met with a heavy loss in the death of Dr. Morell Mackenzie. He was always glad to attend actors and singers. He was so liked that the profession recently subscribed to a fund to purchase for him a silver bowl.

Mr. Wenman, a valued member of Henry Irving's Lyceum Co., who was suffering from an attack of pleurisy, died Thursday.

Mr. W. S. Gilbert, whose new opera, "The Mountebanks," still holds the boards at the Lyric Theater, has gone to Egypt.

Mr. J. K. Stephen, son of Sir James Fitzjames Stephen, the magistrate who presided at the trial of Mrs. Maybrick, and who sentenced her to death, is dead. He was a talented and versatile writer of a meteoric character. His father, it will be remembered, displayed such evidences of mental aberration some time after the Maybrick trial that his friends urged him to resign, which he did. Young Stephen was at one time tutor for the Duke of Clarence and Avondale at Cambridge. On one occasion he issued a most curious address to the electors of Kilkenny. Serious doubts as to his mental condition were entertained at one time. His best known volume is a poetical work entitled "Lapsus Calami."

FITZSIMMONS' HISTORY.

Story of His Life as Told by a Half-Brother.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 6.—W. A. Ellerbeck, a compositor on the *Evening Dispatch* of this city, was a step-brother of Fred C. Fitzsimmons, who committed suicide at New Orleans. In an interview with a reporter of the United Press this morning, Mr. Ellerbeck said:

"Mr. Pinkerton is mistaken when he says Fitzsimmons was 38 years of age. He was just my age when we attended school together at Brockville, Canada, and I am 32. We were playmates at school before my mother married his father. Fred was one of the brightest scholars in the public school at that time. When he left home he went to St. Catherines, where he clerked in a dry goods store. He got into bad company there and was implicated in a forgery case, my stepfather interceding in his behalf and clearing him. From St. Catherines he went to Chicago, where he clerked in a dry goods store leaving there for Hot Springs, Ark., some months later. He had quite a career in Texas before he again returned to Canada. I have not heard much about him in past years except through letters from him, my relatives occasionally receiving a letter from Fred. I do not think he had any thing to do with the Snell murder, although I do not know where he was at the time it occurred."

Mr. Ellerbeck showed a photograph of Fitzsimmons taken about five years ago which was sent him by his mother.

THE OPTION SYSTEM.

Getting Views of Leading Traders on Proposed Legislation.

DOES SUPPLY AND DEMAND FIX THE PRICE OF PRODUCTS?

Conflicting Opinions Advanced in the Hearing Before the House Agricultural Committee—Mr. Hatch Aims a Blow at Statistician Dodge—A Kansas Defender—Congress.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 6.—Mr. A. J. Sawyer of Minneapolis, who was before the House Committee on Agriculture a few days ago in opposition to the anti-option bill, today continued his statement to the committee respecting the system of business practiced by the large wheat buyers of the Northwest, and defending the custom of buying options on the exchanges to cover the possibility of loss on the wheat in elevators. He said the speculator carried the surplus for the actual wheat buyers under the option system, and enabled them to sell their wheat from time to time as fast as it could be disposed of. If the wheat in store could be moved forward the market would be glutted and cash wheat would fall to a very low price. By selling futures against the wheat he had in elevators, the elevator owner insured himself against loss.

Mr. Moses said that cotton brokers seem to lose money through spot cotton going down, while futures were going up, and asked Mr. Sawyer if he was not liable to loss in this.

Mr. Sawyer admitted that he was, and said that he had to take that risk in the business. "He lost $40,000 at one clip," in this way, and another time a private company had lost $100,000 by consigning wheat to London and buying options against it here, through the home and foreign markets working exactly against the company's interest. Something had been said about the high price of farm products, twenty or more years ago, compared with the prices of to-day. Farmers then had a tariff on everything they exported, though they did not know it. The tariff was the premium on gold, which the advancing 1 cent with each advance of a cent in the premium of gold. The cost of labor, however, did not advance for some time, so that the farmer was getting cheap labor and high prices. Since the resumption of specie payments the price of labor had not receded, while the price of products had declined.

WHAT DEPRESSES PRICES.

H. H. Aldrich of the Chicago Board of Trade was then given an opportunity to finish the statement he had heretofore made. He said that yesterday the statement had been made that any other explanation of the decline in prices of cereals than "short selling" was childish. It was perhaps worth coming to Washington to hear that Edward Atkinson, David A. Wells and the expert of the Department of Agriculture, were children, and he read from articles by these men to the effect that prices in years past had been regulated strictly by the law of supply and demand throughout the world. This "short" sailing to find personal knowledge was very common twenty-two years ago. It had been stated that offerings were unlimited. It was hardly necessary to attempt to disprove that statement, because if it were true, prices would fall to almost nothing. It was not the short seller who caused the great and sudden declines in prices, but rather the man who was "long" on the market. He became tired of carrying the market and depressed prices in his efforts to get out. It was not to the interest of the short seller to depress prices except for the time being, and he did not endeavor to force them down below a point at which he could buy back at a profit. The most active and persistent buyer was the short seller seeking to close out his contracts.

Mr. Moses asked if spot wheat, which was the wheat the farmer sold, would not be higher if "futures" were done away with.

Mr. Aldrich said that if too much was not sold, the price now might be better, but in May it would be lower and the speculator owing to the lower rates of interest he paid could carry the wheat easier than the farmer.

Mr. Moses asked if there would not be a healthy demand all the year around if the system of buying futures were abolished. Mr. Aldrich replied that possibly that might be so, but the miller that made his European flour contracts six months ahead could not, without the future system, agree to deliver flour abroad because he did not know the price of wheat six months hence.

The time given Mr. Aldrich having expired he filed the articles he had quoted from.

A HIT AT DODGE.

Mr. Hatch said that the members of the committee who knew that the expert of the Agricultural Department who had been quoted was Statistician Dodge would know what weight was to be given to his statements. Every tobacco dealer remembered that his report several years ago upon the tobacco crop (which report he published in advance of the crop) had cost the tobacco growers of Kentucky, Virginia, North Carolina and other States, 25 per cent of the value of their crop. Mr. Dodge was compelled two or three months afterwards "to take back the report," after the farmers had been robbed of a large part of their crop.

Mr. Funston of Kansas: "If you want to impeach Mr. Dodge you had better give him a hearing."

Mr. Hatch: "I will be very glad to do so. The gentleman from Kansas is familiar with the facts, and they are as I have stated them."

Mr. Funston: "I would prefer to try Mr. Dodge before we hang him."

H. Mattiuath of Indianapolis, next attacked dealings in futures—"wind selling"—that injured the producers. The greater part of the trading in wheat was done between October and April, and during that time the farmer had to accept the depressed prices caused by the short seller. Along in the spring there might be a "bulge" in prices, but that did not benefit the farmer because he had previously been compelled to sell his crop.

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"The cry that short selling by speculators who have no grain nor expect to have any to deliver does not lower prices, as claimed by some; they are at the bottom of the sharpest advances and the highest prices ever recorded. The fact that they are short causes them to take fright and put the prices up on themselves in their anxiety to get out, and the longs are prompt to stimulate the scare. Meantime, at every railroad station there are buyers to purchase farmers' grain at corresponding advance, which they can only safely do because the system enables them to wire Chicago, St. Louis, or other markets, and sell future against current purchases, allowing time to secure cars and get the grain forward; therefore the farmer is benefited by short selling of speculators, the more the better for them. I do not assert that the syndicate of Minneapolis millers, backed by British capital, are promoting the measure, but it certainly would be a picnic for them, if not for the Northwestern farmers, if the Congress of the United States would thus legislate a monopoly of the buying of those vast crops."

John B. Gandolfo said: "I am not in favor of any interference at all. Of course there is grain gambling, but to put a stop to it in the manner proposed would bring far more evils than it would cure." Mr. Thomas W. Booth expressed himself as in favor of prohibiting trading in futures, as did Mr. Michael McEnnis.

A CHILIAN INCIDENT.

Capt. Schley Was Prepared for an Attack on the Baltimore.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 6.—An interesting incident in connection with the Chilian difficulty has not before been made public. After the attack on the sailors of the Baltimore excitement ran high in Valparaiso, as will be remembered. Rumors were thick and frequent here that that the Chilians intended to attack the Baltimore. The naval demonstrations on their part were very threatening, and of such a character that Capt. Schley felt impelled to put his ship in order for a fight, if it was forced upon him. According to the reports a combined attack was to be made upon the Baltimore by the Chilian cruisers, the Esmeralda and Almirante Cochran and the torpedo vessels. The idea of the Chilians was that with their force they could make a complete wreck of the Baltimore in a very short time. Capt. Schley did not think so. At any rate he was ready to give them a warm reception. On either side of the Baltimore and between the range of her guns and the Chilian guns lay the German man-of-war Leipseig and the English man-of-war Melopomen. Capt. Schley had determined, in case of an attack, to let the torpedo boats alone and direct his attention to the work of disabling the cruisers. But he wanted to have them in the line of his guns. Getting in his gig he boarded the German man-of-war and stated his views and wishes to her commander. The German Captain promptly said he would get out of the way at once and give the Baltimore a fair show. Capt. Schley then went to the Melopomen. Her Captain did not show the spirit of accommodation of the other, and his ship was in very good anchorage and he did not see why he should move. After some further conversation he consented to comply with the request and to disprove that statement, because if it were true, prices would fail to almost nothing. It was not the short seller who caused the great and sudden declines in prices, but rather the man who was "long" on the market. He became tired of carrying the market and depressed prices in his efforts to get out. It was not to the interest of the short seller to depress prices except for the time being, and he did not endeavor to force them down below a point at which he could buy back at a profit. The most active and persistent buyer was the short seller seeking to close out his contracts.

Mr. Moses asked if spot wheat, which was the wheat the farmer sold, would not be higher if "futures" were done away with.

Mr. Aldrich said that if too much was not sold, the price now might be better, but in May it would be lower and the speculator owing to the lower rates of interest he paid could carry the wheat easier than the farmer.

Mr. Moses asked if there would not be a healthy demand all the year around if the system of buying futures were abolished. Mr. Aldrich replied that possibly that might be so, but the miller that made his European flour contracts six months ahead could not, without the future system, agree to deliver flour abroad because he did not know the price of wheat six months hence.

The time given Mr. Aldrich having expired he filed the articles he had quoted from.

A HIT AT DODGE.

Mr. Hatch said that the members of the committee who knew that the expert of the Agricultural Department who had been quoted was Statistician Dodge would know what weight was to be given to his statements. Every tobacco dealer remembered that his report several years ago upon the tobacco crop (which report he published in advance of the crop) had cost the tobacco growers of Kentucky, Virginia, North Carolina and other States, 25 per cent of the value of their crop. Mr. Dodge was compelled two or three months afterwards "to take back the report," after the farmers had been robbed of a large part of their crop.

Mr. Funston of Kansas: "If you want to impeach Mr. Dodge you had better give him a hearing."

Mr. Hatch: "I will be very glad to do so. The gentleman from Kansas is familiar with the facts, and they are as I have stated them."

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ALLIANCE SPECTERS

They Have Aroused the Fears of the Georgia Democracy.

EFFORTS WILL BE MADE TO STEM THE RISING TIDE.

An Almost Pathetic Call for Action—Winchesters as Arguments in the Louisiana Campaign—Lottery's Last Ditch—Brooklyn Democrats Opposing an Early Convention—General Political News.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 6.—Chairman Atkinson of the Democratic State Executive Committee created a sensation by issuing a call for a meeting of the committee on March 2 to take immediate action in calling a State Convention and preparing for the coming campaign. This call was accompanied by an interview, in which Chairman Atkinson points out the necessity for prompt action, in view of the growth of the third party. He says:

"The People's party has not been formulated with the hope of controlling the white vote of the State but with the idea that they will be enabled to attract a co-working element now in the Republican party, and in this way snatch the State from Democratic control.

"Should such a scheme succeed, its effect will be to put Georgia back twenty-five years and thus we will be confronted with a problem that we fought immediately after the war, when a few carpet-baggers took advantage of the demoralized condition and gave political supremacy in this State to ignorance and vice.

DANGERS INDICATED.

"The difference in caste of the reconstruction leaders and the men who are at the head of the People's party is the threatening feature. The men who are now leaving the Democratic party represent a better element than the crowd who headed the ignorant hordes immediately after the war, but the great majority of the People's

DONE BY DYNAMITE.

John Spencer's House in Cahokia, Ill., Blown to Atoms.

PIECES OF THE UNFORTUNATE MAN'S BODY FOUND IN THE RUINS.

A Fear That His Little Son Was Also Killed—How the Explosion Occurred—A Colored Man Attempts to Drown His Child at East St. Louis—East Side News.

The town of Cahokia, Ill., was the scene of another dynamite explosion to-day and this time it was accompanied by loss of human life. Shortly before noon there was a terrific explosion, which shook the entire village. The little frame house occupied by John Spencer was blown into fragments, the pieces being hurled in all directions. Spencer is a laborer employed at Camille Droit's dynamite factory, which was blown up a short time ago, and it is known that he had taken some dynamite and stored it in his house. This is supposed to have exploded in some manner. A search of the ruins resulted in the finding of a human arm and the clothing on it was identified as that of Spencer. There was also fragments of human body found scattered for an area of 100 yards. Some people allege that Spencer had his little son in the house with him, and if such was the case the boy was also blown into atoms. It is stated by others, however, that nobody was in the house at the time except Spencer himself, his wife and son having gone to St. Louis early this morning. There were rumors to the effect that Spencer had sent them away for the day and had committed suicide in this awful manner, but a majority of people cling to the belief that it was an accident. It is quite certain that he has lost his life in the explosion, but whether any other people have cannot yet be learned as neither his wife nor boy could be found to-day.

East St. Louis.

Policemen and detectives are scouring the country north of here trying to capture Calloway Farmer. Farmer is supposed to be insane and has the record of a desperate man. Last night he startled some of his friends by declaring that he would drown himself and his 3-year-old son. Accordingly he did follow the boy into the creek, but it was rescued by others.

Farmer came here a few months ago from Indianapolis, Ind., where he lived several years. He brought with him his wife and several small children. Lately his wife decided to return to Indianapolis and desired to take the children with her. He was willing for her to take all of them but the 3-year-old boy. He was very much attached to his child, and the mother gave way without it in deference to his wishes. His cousin, Mrs. Lucy Short, who lives in the northern part of the city on the bank of Cahokia Creek took care of the child for him. Farmer often visited the child and did so last night. He called about 9 o'clock and talked with his cousin a short time. Suddenly he jumped up from his chair and started out of the house with the boy, having grabbed him by the arm. As he went out the door he said to Mrs. Short: "We are going to drown ourselves. Tell my wife to have Rev. Williams preach my funeral."

Saying this he rushed down to the creek and threw the child into the water, but his courage seemed to desert him, and he did not jump in himself. Mrs. Short's husband and another colored man entered the house just as he left it and they ran down to the creek and pulled the boy out of the water.

Farmer lingered about the place and Short, fearing he would do more mischief, sent word to the police station. Deputy Ryan and Officer Wilkerstyer were sent to the place and when they arrived Farmer took to his heels. He had, in the meantime, secured a double-barreled shotgun, but made no attempt to use it. He threw it down and ran away as fast as he could. Detective Ryan fired five shots at him, but failed to hit him. The officers followed in close pursuit but could not capture him. This morning the same officers, with several others, started out to search the country to the north of here with a view of determined effort to capture Farmer, as the latter is known to be a desperate man and if he is really insane will be dangerous at large. He lived in East St. Louis for many years before he went to Indianapolis, and was in numerous scrapes here. He shot a man named Robert Cobbs in 1887, but did not kill him. Later he resisted Police Officer Mike Healy, who is still on the force, and stabbed him with a knife in the abdomen.

Col. J. S. Fetter, State organizer of the Prohibition party, will open the campaign in this county next Monday. He will make speeches every night this week at Marissa, and then visit Lebanon, O'Fallon and other places in the county. His object is to thoroughly organize the party for the coming elections.

The annual fair of St. Mary's Church, held at Baughan's Hall, closed last night. It was a pronounced success in every way. A large sum was realized for the church fund. The attendance on the closing night was very light.

St. Peter's singing Society has elected Christian Rohlfs President and Miss R. Niemeyer Secretary and Treasurer.

Deputy Sheriff Langley has attached eighteen cars belonging to S. W. Grooms of New York for $2,385 due the East St. Louis Connecting Railway Co.

Belleville.

A lamp fell off a table at Philip Wagner's boarding-house on C street last night and set fire to the furniture in the room of Henry Strathman. The fire was extinguished with buckets of water after slight damage had been done.

Two mules were stolen last night from the stable of Fred Schultz, a farmer residing on the St. Louis road about five miles from Belleville. There is no clue to the thieves.

George Palmer of Toronto, Ontario, a long distance runner, is in the city, and has published a challenge to Abraham Britton, a local "ped," for a one or three-mile race for $100 to $500 a side.

A non suit was taken in the case of Augusta Weber against the Belleville Steel Co. in the Circuit Court yesterday. Plaintiff was suing for $5,000 damages for the death of her husband, John Weber, who was killed by an elevator at the steel plant.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to John J. Reeb of East St. Louis and Mary A. Gindler of Collinsville.

The Epworth League gave a musical and literary entertainment last night at the M. E. Church.

The new team recently purchased for the Fire Department was tried last night. Both horses acted well on their first run.

A special train will be run to St. Louis on Monday, the date of the Theodore Thomas concert at the Exposition. It will leave here at 7 p. m. and return at midnight.

John Emge, Tax collector of New Athens Township, deposited $400 in the County Treasury yesterday.

Alderman John Gebhardt is confined to his home by an attack of rheumatism.

The Belleville team of the Clerks' Base Ball Club have decided to open the season April 3.

Look out for "Carmody's" 10 o'clock and 4 o'clock Merchants' Lunch.

ARTISTS IN COUNCIL.

New York Societies Discuss Their World's Fair Exhibit.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—A meeting was held at the Academy of Design, last evening, at which the Council of the Academy of Design, the Board of Control of the Society of American Artists and that of the American Water Color Society discussed in joint session the proposed arrangements for a New York art display at the Columbian Exposition. The meeting was held for the purpose of conferring with Mr. Charles M. Kurtz, assistant director of the art department of the Columbian Exposition, who is now in this city.

As a result of the meeting it was decided to recommend that the New York Advisory Committee, already appointed by the director of the Columbian Exposition at the suggestion of Prof. H. C. Ives, chief of the art department at the exposition, should be increased.

It was further recommended that no work by an American artist, whether offered by the artist or belonging to a private collection, be admitted to the exposition except with the approval of this Advisory Committee.

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Killed in a Mine.

Mr. W. J. Jones to-day received a telegram from his daughter, that her husband, Mackintosh Howes, had been killed in the Toledo mine, near Dillon, Mont.

Get rid of one cold before you contract another on top of it, or you may securely establish the seeds of a serious Lung Complaint before you are conscious of danger. Better prudently resort to Dr. D. Jayne's Expectorant, an effective cure for Coughs and Colds, and helpful also for its healing influence on the Lungs and Bronchial Tubes.

DISASTERS AT SEA.

The Wrecked Venezuela in Good Condition—Other Mishaps.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The Red D. Line steamship Venezuela, which ran aground yesterday morning on the Brigantine shoals off the New Jersey coast, is resting easily with her nose in the sand and in no immediate danger. Two of the Merritt Wrecking Co.'s tugs are alongside of her. The steamer's cargo is being lightened, and when this has been done it is not thought there will be any difficulty in floating the stranded vessel. At the office of the company's agents it was said this morning that Capt. Chambers was not responsible for the accident, as at 9 o'clock yesterday morning he took a pilot on board and at 10:30 the pilot had run her ashore. The seventeen passengers who were on board the steamer when she ran aground remained all night on the vessel, perfectly satisfied of their safety, and they will be brought to New York by the Venezuela as soon as she is floated.

The passengers are: Mr. Canal, Mr. Serano, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Craig, Miss A. Von Paddenburg, Miss Lieuthill, Mr. McDonald, John S. Terry, Jr., Ad Meyer, G. Severac, Mr. Basilius, Gustave Haas, F. N. Lucena, F. H. Poole, Minnie H. Wallis, J. Sanger, F. Regneur, C. Fonella.

TEN MEN MISSING.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The Greek steamer wrecked on one of the Scilly Islands is the Embiricos. Her captain, mate and engineers are among the lost.

A pilot boat brought the news of the wreck of the Embiricos. The steamer left Cardiff yesterday and went ashore during a dense fog last night on the Islet of St. Martin, one of the principal islands of the Scilly group. As the tide rose the steamer floated off, but her bottom was so badly damaged that she filled, and foundered. It has been learned that ten men instead of nine are missing and very little hope is entertained that they are still alive.

The Embiricos sank ten minutes after she floated off. The last seen of the Captain and nine other missing men they were trying to launch a boat. It is supposed that they went down with the steamer.

REPORTED ASHORE.

NORFOLK, Va., Feb. 6.—The British steamer Polynesian, from Liverpool for Baltimore, is reported ashore at Cape Henry.

It is learned this afternoon that the passengers and crew are all well and no fears are entertained for their safety. The life-saving crew has several lines attached to her and will take the passengers and crew off if her position becomes dangerous. But as the wind and sea have subsided it is not thought that the vessel will suffer any serious damage. There was no excitement among the passengers.

THE PARLEGATE GROUNDED.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The British steamship Parlegate from Cardiff in ballast grounded this morning in Buttermik channel. She is thought to be on the rocks, but not in great danger. Will probably clear at high water.

They Want a Receiver.

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 6.—A number of the certificate holders of the Knights and Ladies of Honor have applied for a receiver. The organization is a ten-year endowment order, and it is believed it has not been run according to the terms of its charter. The officers are said to have misapplied the assessments levied for sick benefits. The court will give a hearing on Tuesday.

CARONDELET NEWS.

The Leap Year Masquerade Ball—Other South End Items.

The masquerade ball given by the Ladies' Leap Year Club in compliment to their gentlemen friends, was the social event of the season here. Carriages were hired and the gentlemen holding invitations were called for and taken to the hall, which was handsomely decorated. At 9 o'clock the ball-room was crowded and the dance began. The ladies selected their partners for every dance, among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Mrs. George Lay, Mrs. Otto Boettger, Mrs. Sam Will, Mrs. Elsworth Doering, Mrs. John Feckes, Mrs. Charley Harley, Mrs. Fred Kuebler, Mrs. Kunisch, Clara Groffmann, Aurora Haas, Gertie Hilsman, Emma Bruno, Lizzie Stummel, Molly Knorr and Messrs. W. L. Street, A. Seidel, Ed Ricker, Dr. Drescher, L. C. Spies, Will Knorr, Fred Hoffner, Louis Groffmann and others.

Martha Washington, colored, was before Police Justice Meegan this morning on a charge of disturbing the peace. She was fined $10 and costs, on a promise of good behavior in the future. His Honor stayed the fine.

The steamer Crystal City landed at the foot of Bowen street last evening and discharged a cargo of 1,000 logs for the Walker Woodenware works.

The Germania Dramatic Club will give an entertainment and hop to-morrow evening at Turner Hall.

The Thirteenth Ward Republican League Club will hold a special meeting Monday evening.

The Cally-My-All Foot Ball Club met last evening and elected the following officers: A. Parks, President; Joseph Diel, Vice-President, Leo Frank, Treasurer; John Joyce, Secretary, and John Trice Sergeant-at-Arms. The members comprise Judge Leahey, F. Poupeney, Thos. Dax, Simeon Simon, W. Grapevine, P. Frank, Lon Fisher and C. Krauss.

Mrs. Johnne Watkins, a prominent lady of this locality, died last evening at her home, 7316 South Broadway, after a brief illness.

Miss Lydia Leighton was made the recipient of a of a doll party this afternoon at her home, 7003 Minnesota avenue. Quite a large number of schoolmates and friends were present.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church gave a supper last evening for the benefit of the society.

A new lodge of the A. O. U. W. will be organized this evening at Paxville, Mo., by Deputy Grand Master Frank Bohn, Bacon Voerper and Kaufmann.

During a quarrel between George Green and his wife last evening, George attempted to strike his wife on the head with a club. The woman warded off the blow with her arm. The force of the blow broke the arm near the elbow. Dr. Volker dressed the injury. The parties concerned are colored.

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MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

Marriage Licenses.

Henry Walker ..... Carondelet, Mo
Belle Johnson ..... Carondelet, Mo

Patrick Lynch ..... 4452 Garfield av
Mary Borgmeier ..... 4452 Garfield av

Hyman Heller ..... 1010 N. 7th st
Anna Cohn ..... 1607 Wash st

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Burial Permits.

The following burial certificates were issued by the Health Department to-day:

Amana Schevary, 21 yrs., 1912 East Grand av.; puerperal convulsions.
John Weisskey, 58 yrs., DeSoto st. and Iron Mountain R. R. tracks; shock, accident.
William Henry Smith, 14 yrs, 1117 N. 12th st.; consumption.
John W. Williams, 7 mos., 922 Cass av.; gastro enteritis.
Thomas McCabe, 60 yrs, St. Vincent's Asylum; alcoholism.
Olga Magdalena Jacoby, 6 yrs., 2126 Victor st.; meningitis.
Carrie Lang, 42 yrs., 3221 Potoma c st.; heart disease.
Fredrick Holkabald, 72 yrs., 3422 Capital st.; senile debility.
Margaret Lovenstock, 75 yrs., 2122 Cherokee st. senile debility.
Louisa Meyer, 26 yrs., 1616 N. 16th st.; gastro enteritis.
Jennie Colemen, 25 yrs., 1113 Cass av.; consumption.
J. S. Bruenlene, mon., 2755 Shenandoah st.; meningitis.
Anna H. Pothgeber, 4 mos., 2242 Tulus st.; laryngetis.
F. M. Reade, 39 yrs., 619 S. Ewing av., nephritis.
Theodore Stadler, 49 yrs., Alexian Brothers' Hospital; consumption.

DEATHS.

CASEY—JOHN, beloved son of Michael and Johanna and brother of Bryan, Michael and Maurice Casey and Mrs. Martin Flannery.

Funeral from the family residence, 2319 Wash street, Sunday, Feb. 7, at 1:30 p. m., to St. Bridget's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

HOGAN—At his residence, 3551 Olive street, Feb. 5, JOHN HOGAN, in the 88th year of his age.

Funeral services at Centenary Church, 2 p. m., Sunday, instead of 3 p. m., as stated in morning papers. Interment private.

McCABE—On Feb. 5, at 7 a. m., THOMAS MCCABE, at the age of 60 years.

Funeral from the residence of his son, John T. McCabe, 1225 Monroe street, on Sunday, Feb. 7, at 1:30 p. m. Friends respectfully invited.

GO TO ELLEARD'S, 21 SOUTH BROADWAY.
Funeral designs at short notice. Choice roses fresh daily. Telephone 4,229.

DOCTORS CUT UP.

Dr. Etavard's Case in the Second District Police Court.

TROUBLES IN THE BEAUMONT AND MARION SIMS COLLEGES.

The Story of the Exciting Occurrences at the College of Physicians and Surgeons Told in Court—Dr. Etavard Fined $25 and Costs—Object to a Professor—Students Exonerated.

The dramatic episode in the fracas at the St. Louis College of Physicians and Surgeons on Friday evening a week ago were all gone over to-day in the Second District Police Court at the trial of Dr. Etavard for disturbing the peace of Drs. A. L. Barnes and Powers, and also for carrying concealed weapons. The panel for the jury was on hand promptly. Lawyer Thos. A. Harvey occupied Assistant City Attorney Mulvihill's desk; Lawyer Ben Davis sat with his client, Dr. Etevard, near by and Mr. Alfred Weller looked after the interests of Dr. Bauer. Dr. A. L. Barnes, with Janitor Aipman and several students, sat just within the railing. After the lawyers examined the jurors and boiled the panel down to six, the case opened with Mr. Harvey reading the complaint. He said the city intended to prove that Dr. Etavard had acted in an obstreperous manner on the night in question.

THE JANITOR'S STORY.

The first witness for the city was Albert Aipman, janitor of the college. Janitor Aipman took the witnesses' chair and testified that he was at the college Friday night and saw Dr. Etavard in the main hall. The doctor called out:

"O Fred come here." Fred came. "Is Powers here?" "No, not yet," answered the janitor to the doctor. "He fooled me down town, but I'll shoot him here," said the doctor. "I knew he meant business, because he looked desperate," continued the janitor, "so I said, 'I'll go up stairs and see; just wait a minute.' I ran up to the faculty room, and Dr. Etavard walked up a few steps and held a revolver in his hand. I locked the two doors and went out the back way to the station." The janitor's trip was futile, he said, and when he returned Dr. Etavard was still in the hall.

"I want to see you privately," said the doctor to the janitor. Aipman demurred and ordered Dr. Etavard out. The doctor, as the janitor testified, brought his weapon into present arms position beneath his cape coat and said, "Shut up!"

Dr. Etavard then left the college and marched through the crowd at the door to his carriage. He jumped in and was about to drive off, "but I held the horses," said Aipman, "because I saw the officer coming."

Officer Gibbons got in the carriage and had the driver go to the station. Attorney Davis objected to Mr. Harvey asking Aipman to repeat what was said at the station.

The objection was overruled and the witness answered: "He called Dr. Barnes 'a dirty dog' and caught him by the coat."

The witness then told the failure of the search to find the revolver on the doctor, and the subsequent discovery of the weapon on the driver, who said it was taken from Dr. Etavard.

On cross examination the witness said the weapon was the same which Dr. Etavard had at the college. He had not taken the number of the weapon, but he was certain it was the same. Mr. Davis then asked: "How long have you been a member of the faculty?"

"Why, I never was a member."

"You never studied psychology?" "No."

"Then how did you know he was desperate?" "Well, I can tell by looking at a man's eye."

Mr. Aitman would not say that more help was required for emergencies at that college than elsewhere; neither did he believe that he himself had disturbed the peace of Dr. Etavard in stopping the fracas.

Mr. T. P. Peese, a student of the college, was the next witness. He said he saw Dr. Etavard in search of Dr. Powers. He knew that Dr. Etavard had a case of trouble between Drs. Barnes and Powers on one side and Dr. J. S. Bauer on the other.

The janitor was recalled and identified the pistol.

DR. BARNES ON THE STAND.

Dr. A. S. Barnes was then called. Dr. Barnes was hard of hearing, but he proved a very difficult witness. The doctor said he was dean of the college and executive officer of the Board of Trustees. He said he was a practicing physician in St. Louis for thirty-eight years. The doctor then came down to the fracas: "There was a faculty meeting that night," said the doctor, "I saw a crowd about the door, and in the midst of them saw Dr. Etavard, I brushed past him into the college and just as I got up the stairs, a student shouted "Look out, doctor, he is going to shoot.' I jumped behind the railing to miss the shot. The officer came and arrested Dr. Etavard."

He repeated the spicy titles which Dr. Etavard applied to him at the station and went over the incidents of the search.

Mr. Davis asked him a series of questions about the fight in the faculty.

"Did not the whole trouble grow out of a question of medical code?"

"No."

"Was Dr. Joseph L. Bauer removed?"

"No."

"Was he suspended? All because of his relations with Dr. Etavard?"

Mr. Harvey objected to these questions and Mr. Davis said he wanted to show that Drs. Bauer and Etavard had been persecuted because Dr. Etavard had been introduced by Dr. Bauer to the class. Mr. Davis recorded the interviews with some of the faculty in regard to Dr. Etavard. Judge Paxson allowed the question to be answered. Dr. Barnes answered "No." The reply nettled the attorney.

"Well, then, since you wish to split hairs, was he suspended on account of any act of Dr. Etavard?" he asked. The answer was "Yes." Mr. Harvey objected at this point because he said this line opened up the whole field of the college troubles. Dr. Barnes was allowed to speak of the troubles so far as they had reference to Dr. Etavard.

"The Faculty suspended Dr. J. L. Bauer," he said, "because he did certain things which violated the medical ethics and ruids of gentility, taught by the faculty. He introduced Dr. Etavard, who is known as an advertiser contrary to the ethics which permit only a statement of name, residence and specialty. Dr. Etavard advertises in theater bills, drop curtains, etc., etc." Dr. Barnes' action in bringing them to the college was calculated to injure the college, and hence Dr. Bauer was suspended because he disobeyed repeated warnings.

Mr. Davis at this point showed the doctor the "medical directory for 1889-90," and asked him was it the code therein, which was in question. Dr. Barnes looked at the preface, which was dated "1847," and he didn't care to answer the question, because he did know what changes had been made. Mr. Davis thumbed the pages a minute and said:

"Why you have an advertisement in here yourself, have you not?"

The doctor was appalled and answered as he looked at his name in the directory: "I did not know it was there, and I never paid a nickel for it."

Mr. Davis then unwrapped the diploma which Dr. Etavard obtained from the college, and held the blue-ribboned sheepskin before the doctor. Dr. Barnes recognized the document and also his own signature at the bottom. "Did you say that Dr. Etavard was not fit to come to the college?"

Dr. Barnes denied the allegation.

"Were you interviewed?"

"I should smile," was the answer.

Chris Krause, assistant janitor, Officer Gibbons, Lemuel Shaw, a student, were the other witnesses for the prosecution. Attorney Davis moved a discharge on the ground that the officer did not see the offense.

DR. BARNES RECALLED.

It was overruled and he called his only witness, Dr. Etavard himself. Dr. Etavard gave it as his opinion that there no difference between advertising by cards and in newspapers. He stated that he was angry near to desperation on the 26th. He denied that he made any demonstration against Dr. Barnes with a revolver in his hand at the college. There were no means for anyone to know he was armed unless someone put their hand in his pocket, and that was not done. He merely called Dr. Barnes a "dirty dog," without any superlative adjectives added.

FINED $25 AND COSTS.

The case was given to the jury at 1:30, and they returned a verdict of guilty of the charge of disturbing the peace, and assessed the fine at $25. The second charge of carrying concealed weapons against the doctor was continued until next Thursday at 3 p. m. before a jury.

Beaumont College Students Exonerated.

The faculty of the Beaumont Hospital and Medical College held a meeting last night and investigated the charges against the students in general of insulting ladies who happened to be passing by the college on Jefferson avenue and Pine street. The faculty declare the charges absolutely groundless and say further that in their experience they have never had a more gentlemanly or orderly class of students. It was stated in a morning paper that the students made a practice of ogling women as they passed and making remarks to them which were decidedly offensive.

A number of the faculty yesterday afternoon visited Chief Harrigan and learned that the statement to the effect that complaints had been lodged was untrue. Chief Harrigan saying no complaints had been made to him. One gentleman living in the neighborhood had complained, but had withdrawn his complaint because he had learned that it was not the students who had been the offenders and that the offense was not in the first place worthy of any consideration. The faculty is satisfied that any lady is perfectly safe from insult or annoyance in passing the college.

Still Rebellious.

The faculty of the Marion-Sims Medical College is striving to amicably adjust the trouble between the students and Dr. Hugo Summa.

Last evening the faculty held a meeting at the college, at which Prof. Summa was present. The communication from the students requesting to be released from any further responsibility to Dr. Summa as an instructor was read and caused a protracted discussion. The petition indicated plainly that the students were greatly worked up over the alleged indignities heaped upon them by Dr. Summa. The situation puzzled the faculty for a time, and suggestions of all kinds were offered and carefully weighed. Finally a conciliatory letter was prepared and addressed to the students, in which among other things that their grievances would be fully and fairly investigated by a committee appointed for that purpose. It advised the students not to attend the lectures of Prof. Summa's lectures, as such a course would be manifestly against their interests, as well as a breach of the rules of the college. The students were also notified that could not be lawfully passed if they ignored the teaching of any chair in the college.

The outcome of the investigation will be closely watched by the students and they declare they will not stand Prof. Summa, and that he will have to lecture to empty seats if he holds his professorship in the college. Meanwhile the faculty will leave no stone undone to restore harmony in the school.

THE NICARAGUA CANAL.

Work Abandoned and the Property Going to Ruin.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 6.—The accounts which have been published as to the progress of the Nicaragua Canal are contradicted by R. T. Sparks, who recently returned to this city after six months' residence in Managua. When Mr. Sparks was asked about the canal, he said: "It is all nonsense to say that the canal has progressed very far or is being carried forward at all. All that has been done is a few miles of clearing and a little work on the harbor at Greytown. C. A. Davis, chief engineer under Menocal, told me that he had received orders to discharge all of the employes except two or three. The people in the country have no faith in the scheme. Many people were ruined by buying large tracts of land along the proposed line of the canal. One prominent man stated that if he got a railroad there he would put an end to the canal scheme, and his remark met with a retort that if so it was ended now, as it was certain that they would have a railroad before long."

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The noted singer writes for the next SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH her recollections of famous men and women she has seen. Interesting and characteristic of noted people told with charming frankness.

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The Art of Collaboration. Walter Besant.
The English novelist writes an essay on the subject of literary copartnership for the literary page of the next SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

Garner's Latest Discoveries.
Prof. R. L. Garner.
An official report describing his discoveries in the monkey language during his present experiments in the monkey cages of Central Park, New York.

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This well-known artist and writer describes Porfirio Diaz and his daily life. Illustrated by himself.

England's Chancellor of the Exchequer.
Edward Wakefield.
A pen picture of Joachim Goschen, the English statesman.

The Late King of Paris. Ida H. Tarbell.
The late Mr. Alphand's work of beautifying the city. The designer of Paris' boulevards, with portrait.

Bill Nye's Experience. Edgar W. Nye.
The great humorist tells the readers of the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH how he began with cold tea and wound up at Dwight—Faults he finds with Sir Edwin Arnold.

Mark Twain at Mariebad. S. L. Clemens.
The American humorist writes to the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH concerning his treatment at a Bohemian health resort for gout, and concludes that he prefers the gout.

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The great French word-painter writes the recollections of his schoolboy days for the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

Health of Public Men.
Ex-Senator John J. Ingalls
What Congressmen have to endure and why they break down.

Marriage and Divorce. E. Lynn Linton.
An important contribution on "Marriage and Divorce," by E. Lynn Linton, the English authoress.

By wire to-night the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH will receive Bob Ingersoll's final answer to his opponents in the religious discussion.

The special foreign service of the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH is more extensive than that of any other St. Louis paper.

The telegraph columns will give all the news from pole to pole.

Its sporting news will be full and complete in all lines of sport and athletics.

The Destitute.

The following families are reported by the police to be in sick and very destitute circumstances.

Mrs. Fredericka Schwaninge, a widow with four small children; Mrs. Darcas Badenhier a colored widow who claims to be 108 years of age, Mrs. Eward Davies, a colored widow with three children; Mrs. A. Woldon, a widow 80 years of age; Mrs. Sherlock, a colored widow with two small children.

The following donations were received at the Police Headquarters this morning for the poor: Mrs. Bluemeier of 1926 Hebert street sent a large bundle of clothes and R. J. sent $1; Mrs. J. H. Krenning, treasurer of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Church of the Holy Ghost, sent $20 which she collected among its members.

Look out for "Carmody's" 10 o'clock and 4 o'clock Merchants' Lunch.

CONFESSED HIS CRIME.

A Negro Admits a Theft—Evans and Stockson Reindicted.

A gold ring set with a large solitaire diamond and inscribed "Fannie" is awaiting an owner at Chief Desmond's office. It belongs to a lady living on Finney avenue, one block and a half west of Sarah street, but who the lady is the police do not know as yet. It was taken from a negro last night. Sergt. Bree of the Third District was passing a pawnshop at 908 Franklin avenue last evening, when he saw a negro enter hurriedly and followed him. The negro offered the money lender a diamond ring. Sergt. Bree asked the negro where he got the ring and was answered in a very surly manner. He took the ring from the pawnbroker and was about to place it on his finger when the negro pounced upon him. A very lively fight ensued, and it ended with Sergt. Bree securing a fall and holding the negro to the floor. Placing handcuffs on his wrists he led the negro to the station and locked him up. The fellow refused to say where he got the ring, and he was sent to the Four Courts this morning. When taken to Chief Desmond he wilted and made a confession. His name, he said, was Charles Wilson, but he was recognized as David Aikens, and later he admitted his identity. He said he had been working at odd jobs in the West End for months, cleaning yards, carrying coal and washing steps. Yesterday evening a lady living on Finney avenue engaged him to clean the front steps and when he finished she asked him to carry some coal to her room on the second floor. He did so, and as he was going out he saw a diamond ring lying on the center table. No one was near and he took it. He said he never stole anything of value in his life before and seemed very sorry he had yielded to the temptation. Chief Desmond is waiting for the owner to claim the property and prefer charges against the negro.

A Change of Venue Granted.

Charles P. Johnson, attorney for Harold Breece, filed a motion for a change of venue in the Criminal Court a few weeks ago, and this morning Judge Normile sent the case to Ironton, Iron County, Mo., in Judge Green's circuit. Bruce is the young man who is said to have struck Phil Rohan on the head with a large hammer on Aug. 18, 1890. Mr. Rohan had the contract to put in the boilers of the Municipal Electric Light Co.'s plant at Eighteenth and Gratiot streets, and the father of young Bruce was employed as an engineer at the works. He complained of the boilers on several occasions and Mr. Rohan quarreled with him. It is claimed by the defense that Rohan was about to strike the old man one day when young Bruce, who stood by, struck the ex-Councilman in the back of the head with a large hammer and fractured his skull. Rohan hovered between life and death for several weeks, but finally recovered. Bruce made his escape and remained away from the city in hiding about one year, when he returned and gave himself up. Bruce was released on bail and had a fair trial in this city, as the inhabitants are biased in favor of Rohan, who is in business here and well known. On this affidavit the change of venue was granted.

A Stabbing Mystery.

The police this morning partly solved a mystery surrounding a stabbing which occurred last Thursday night. Yesterday afternoon a man giving his name as John Brown walked into the City Dispensary and told Dr. McMillan he wanted him to dress a wound he had received the night before in a fight. The doctor examined the man and found an ugly wound in the abdomen and by probing he discovered that it penetrated to the abdominal cavity. The wound was so old it had became inflamed and Dr. McMillan said he might peritonitis had set in. The injured man would not tell how the wound was inflicted and refused to go the City Hospital, saying he could be taken care of at his home on Morgan street and Broadway. This morning the police learned that Brown went into a saloon on Broadway and Wright street about 10:30 o'clock Thursday night and engaged in a fight with three men whose names are unknown. Brown was getting the best of the fight when he was stabbed by one of the trio, supposed to be William Hill. None of the men can be found, and no effort is being made to arrest them, as Brown says he will not prosecute. Brown is in a dangerous condition, and may die of the effects of his wound.

Prisoners Arraigned.

Fifty-four prisoners were arraigned in the Criminal Court this morning and four of them entered pleas of guilty while the remainder proclaimed their innocence. Yesterday the Grand-jury returned eighty-nine indictments against about ninety-six defendants and all were present in jail and no time was lost in arraigning the prisoners and letting them plead. Of the fifty who pleaded not guilty the majority had already employed attorneys. The Court will appoint counsel for those who are too poor to pay for an attorney.

James Oran, Frank Mills and John Green were convicted of burglary and larceny for breaking into William Wittler's store, 1241 South Seventh street, on Dec. 21, and stealing fifty boxes of cigars valued at $125. Green said he was not guilty, but Oran and Mills admitted their guilt and were sentenced to the penitentiary for three years each.

Richard Nagle charged with stealing shotguns, revolvers and other merchandise from the St. Louis Transfer Co., while employed as driver, entered a plea of guilty and was sent up for two years.

James Oran, alias James Williams, said he was guilty of grand larceny as charged and was sentenced for two years. He stole a box of shoes from an Iron Mountain railroad car on Jan. 8.

Accused of Dog Stealing.

R. J. Rothwell of 1005 North Fifteenth street swore out a warrant to-day against John Bence for receiving stolen property. About the 15th of January, Rothwell missed a fine greyhound. He advertised his loss and offered a liberal reward. Some days ago he received a communication saying what reward he would give and telling him to come to 2100 Carr street. He went as directed and found his dog tied in a coal yard at that number. John Hence, who owns the coal yard, said that a man gave him the dog, and refused to give it up unless the reward was paid. This Rothwell refused to do, claiming the dog had been stolen. After some words, he called in Officer Thompson and had the man arrested. The dog in question is called Belfast, and the owner claims he won the Mississippi Valley cup at the Fair Grounds, and values him at $300.

Re-Arrested for Robbery.

George Evans was arrested to-day in the Comptroller's office of the City Hall on a charge of complicity in a highway robbery. On March 2, 1891, Joseph Cafferata of 726 Chouteau avenue was held up on South Seventh street and robbed of $45. Evans and one Thomas Stockson were arrested for the offense and Evans turning States evidence was released. Stockson escaped about six months ago by slipping his handcuffs during his preliminary examination. He was arrested last week in Springfield, Mo., and brought back to St. Louis and is now confined in Jail. Indictments were brought against both Evans and Stockson, and Evans was rearrested to-day on the indictment.

They Had Gaiters.

Officer's Murphy and McMahan saw Thomas Hogan and Thomas Maguire walking along the levee this morning with a sack full of men's gaiters, trying to dispose of them. They could not account for possession and were arrested.

After the Grip
Convalescence is very slow, and to recover the health-tone a good tonic is absolutely necessary. Hood's Sarsaparilla has been used with wonderful success as a building-up medicine and blood purifier after attacks of the grip, after Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Pneumonia or other prostrating diseases. It possesses just the building-up effect so much needed; it vitalizes and enriches the thin and impoverished blood, and it invigorates the kidneys and stimulates the liver so that they resume healthy action. Thousands of people have taken
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As a preventive of the Grip with success. Thousands have found in it restoration to health and strength after they dreaded complication.

A DISGUSTED BURGLAR.

Dr. Boisliniere's Curious Note From a Disappointed House-Breaker.

Dr. L. Ch. Boisliniere of Twenty-third and Chestnut streets received a visit from an enterprising burglar on Thursday night last, and it is still an open question whether Dr. Boisliniere or his burglar was the most disgusted by the visit. The robber got into the house by cutting around the lock of the cellar door and forcing it open. After this bold entrance he evidently wandered at will through the entire residence, but was apparently unable to find much of value, for with the exception of one or two little trinkets nothing is missing from the Boisliniere homestead. But when Dr. Boisliniere the next morning went into his office on the first floor he found that the burglar had left a note for him written on the slate, where the physician's patients leave their calls. It was a very plain and frank communication, so plain indeed in some of its expressions of disappointment that it cannot be published in full. The cool burglar took occasion to express his personal opinion of Dr. Boisliniere's residence as a "curiosity of crime," in the meantime, also, he has reported the case to the police.

Look out for "Carmody's" 10 o'clock and 4 o'clock Merchants' Lunch.

DISCOVERED IN TIME.

By Mere Chance Brother and Sister Are Prevented from Marrying.

HURON, S. D., Feb. 6.—In 1882 a young man, H. W. Williams, came to this city from Illinois. He remained until the following spring, when he went further west, accumulated some money and went to Chicago, where he is now engaged in the leather business. Williams' parents lived near Springfield, Ill. The father was killed in the battle of Corinth. The mother had just given birth to a girl babe. The shock broke her down, and she and the babe went to San Francisco to live with a Mrs. Todd, a half sister, leaving young Williams in the care of a family which finally adopted him. Mrs. Williams died, and the girl became known as Helen Williams Todd. Intimate friends of Mrs. Todd removed from San Francsco to Chicago and during the winter of 1888 she and Miss Helen visited them. At a reception Williams and Miss Todd met. The acquaintance rapidly ripened and there were frequent exchanges of letters. This continued for two years when Miss Todd went to Chicago to live with friends on Drexel boulevard, her foster mother having died. The friendship between Williams and herself budded into love and blossomed into an engagement and the day for the wedding was set. A few days before the event was to take place Miss Todd was looking over a package of old papers left by her foster mother. These letters gave a faint clew to her brother and she turned them over to her betrothed and asked his assistance. An old-fashioned photograph, found with the letters, matched the one of his mother in his possession and further investigation showed that the two were brother and sister.

CASUALTIES.

Miss Kittie Shaw Fell Dead While Dancing—Other Mishaps.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 6.—Miss Kittie Shaw, daughter of a prominent physician of this city, dropped dead at 3:30 o'clock this morning, while dancing at the reception given by the Pittsburg Club in honor of the reopening of their club house.

Socially the Pittsburg Club is the foremost organization of the city, and last night's reception was the society event of the season. At the close of the reception dancing was inaugurated by the young people, and was continued until the wee hours and suddenly brought to a close by the messenger of death. Miss

BUSINESS PROPERTY.

514 N. Levee and 518 N. Commercial.
Store and rooms above; well located, and with the new railroad facilities, will rapidly increase in value. 153½
Price 6,000

N. Second st., 1550 & 1552.
Two 2-story brick houses, containing 6 rooms each; hall, water in kitchens; splendid piece of property for speculators; lot 30x80. Rent per month, $60. 535
Price 6,000

Pine St., 116 and 118,
With good, substantial 4-story brick building, occupied by first-class tenants. 153½
Price, each 8,000

Vine, 308-310.
Suitable for business of any character; good income property. 153½
Price, each 10,000

Pine St., 118.
Rear, large warehouse, in good order; well rented and a most suitable investment. 153½
Price 10,000

Collins St., 919 & 921.
Two-story double brick building, 12 rooms, small yard in front and rear, house well rented; this is a splendid piece for speculation, being in the center of the new railway district; rent per month, $60; taxes, $82.50. 823
Price 10,000

Angelica and Hall,
Southeast corner; lot 520x144, on the line of Merchants' Bridge & Terminal Railroad; very desirable site for a large factory. 331
Price 26,000

Seventh St. S., 733.
West side, bet. Cerre and Gratiot sts.; rents for $29 per month; lot 20.9x127.6. 176
Price 10,000

Olive St., 2636.
Three-story brick; large store on 1st floor, with living rooms on 2d and 3d; lot 30x98. 802
Price 11,000

N. Third St. 1004.
Three-story brick; store on first floor, rooms above; 22½x84. 529
Price 12,500

Lucas Place, 2207.
Three-story stone front, 15 rooms, lot 72x155, running through to St. Charles street. This is a splendid piece of property for manufacturing purpose. 806
Price 21,500

N. Third St.,
948 and 950. 3-story building with two stores on 1st floor; well rented; 40x94. 366
Price 25,500

Twelfth and Locust.
Southeast corner, 76x100 to 20-foot alley. Will erect building for responsible tenant or lease ground. 203

Main St. 615 to 619 N.
Four-story brick building and factory of Vane Calvert Paint Co.; this is an elegant piece of business property, and all in good repair; lot 61x150; rent per year, $3,000. 835
Price 26,000

Main, cor. of Olive.
300 and 302; very substantial 5-story building; the price asked is less than the value of the ground. 153½
Price 80,000

Seventh and Christy.
Northeast corner, 105x80 feet; one of the most valuable business corners in St. Louis. Will sell or lease. 450

BUSINESS PROPERTY.
For Sale or Lease for 99 Years.

Chestnut & Eighteenth
Northwest corner, one of the best sites in the city for hotel, being one block from the new Union Depot; lot 175x109 to alley; city block 893. 682

Walnut & Twentieth
Southwest corner, lot 100x95; a three-story 12-room brick building in front, and 3-story 12-room building in rear; also the 3 2-story 6-room buildings at 105, 107 and 109 S. 20th st., and the 2-story 10-room house at 2008 Walnut st.; this is splendid rental property and only one block from depot. Rents $196.50 per month. 68

ACRE AND SUBURBAN PROPERTY.

ACRE PROPERTY.

St Charles Rock Rd.
16 acres on north side, between Hunt av. and Wabash Railway tracks; property adjoins the German Seminary on the west. 733
Price, per Acre 600

32.92 Acres.
On the n. e. cor. Goodfellow av. and Natural Bridge rd., in city; block 4347. 849
Price, per Acre 1,500

ACRE PROPERTY.

50 Acres
Of beautiful ground adjoining Edgewood Park on the north, about 1,500 feet west of Jennings Station road. 918
Price per Acre 500

Calvary Av.
20 acres, just north of Bircher rd., on Calvary av.; very fine property and a rare bargain. 497
Price 25,000

ACRE PROPERTY.

Lay and Clayton roads.
80 acres on Lay road, just south of Clayton road, in county, bounded north by Eckelcamp, south by Gretter and west by land of Duffy. 410
Price 12,000

Olive st. road.
1635 feet, on south side, just east of Seven-mile House; this will make a splendid subdivision containing a little over 18 acres. 732

ACRE PROPERTY.

Ben-Avis Park.
A beautiful grove of between 40 and 41 acres on the Wabash Railroad, 25 acres grass woodland and 15 acres meadow. Beautiful place for sub-division; only 8½ miles from the Court-house and near Woodland Station. 535
Price 32,000

SUBURBAN.

Plymouth & Emmett.
Southwest cor., on New Electric Ry., near Gambleton Station, 2-story, 8-room frame, all in first-class condition, lot 90x275. 393
Price 3,000

SUBURBAN.

Emmett & Wagoner S. W. Cor.
An 8-room frame, Queen Anne style; all improvements; new furnace; stone foundations; cellar under all house; water in kitchen; lot 85x165. Rents for $55 per month. 473
Price 5,000

SUBURBAN.

Harlem Place.
Two 2-story frame houses, consisting of 7 and 9 rooms each, together with 362 feet of ground, on the north side of Hancock av., adjoining the St. Louis & San Francisco tracks, within 200 yards of Lindenwood station, which if sold at once can be bought for 671
6,250

WASHINGTON AVENUE.

South side, between 11th and 12th streets, one of the most desirable pieces of property on the avenue for business purposes. Can be bought on easy terms. This block is destined to be one of the best business blocks in the city. Call in to see us for further information.

FOR SALE: TEMPLE SHAARE EMETH

Northeast Corner Seventeenth and Pine Sts.
122 feet on Pine by 109 feet on Seventeenth.

We have been authorized by the Board of Pewholders to offer this elegant temple, including furniture, for the sum of $65,000, on terms to suit. We also have the adjoining 42 feet east of the Temple, which we can put to you on very reasonable terms.

DELMAR AV.

We have the finest pieces of property on the avenue, fronting 200 feet on the south side, between Taylor and Walton. Speculators and homeseekers should pay special attention to this property, as it will double in value in another year. For full particulars see

OLIVE STREET.

We have the best piece of improved property on this street, consisting of a large 5-story brick building between 12th and 13th streets. Annual rental, $3,000. Lot 49.6x106.4. One of the cheapest pieces of property in the business district.

Manufacturers, Attention!

We have the best piece of manufacturing property in the city, southeast corner 9th and Clark av., being 90 feet on Clark avenue, by 120 feet on 9th street. Good switching facilities, etc. Price reasonable.

HAMMETT-ANDERSON-WADE, 213 North Eighth St.

TOWN ELECTIONS.

A Conference to Determine How They Shall Be Held.

COMMITTEES OF BOTH PARTIES WILL CONSIDER THE MATTER.

A Question That Has Arisen in Reference to the Australian Ballot Law—A Change That Is of Doubtful Legality and Opposed by Many—A New Bill to Be Presented.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 6.—The country towns are in a state of upheaval over the matter of holding town elections. It has been decided now to settle the controversy by a decisive move. Charles Partridge, Secretary of the Republican State Central Committee, and Theodore Nelson, Secretary of the Democratic State Central Committee, have sent out letters to the two committees suggesting a joint conference on the question.

The entire difficulty arose in a rather curious transaction. When the Australian ballot bill became a law Sherwood Dixon, a representative from Lee County, assisted George O. Lyman, editor of the Amboy *Gazette*, in the preparation of a digest which was published in that paper. The Board of Supervisors of Lee County indorsed the law and recommended its adoption at the town elections. Mr. Partridge read the digest and was enamored of it. He wrote to Mr. Lyman and asked him his terms for printing copies for general distribution. The editor at once came up to Chicago. During the negotiations Mr. Partridge noticed that the editor of the Amboy *Gazette* had told the farmers that it was not necessary to advertise in the papers, and hurry out their nomination as the law provided. At this Mr. Partridge took exceptions. He wrote to Attorney-General Hunt for an opinion upon this one point, and received in reply a long decision making a distinction between the election of town officers and town meetings and the "elections" comprehended in the bill, and stating that town meetings will not be held under the Australian law.

For many generations the election of town officers has been conducted in the same old way. The farmers assemble in the Town Hall at 8 o'clock in the morning and elect a Moderator and a Town Clerk, who have entire charge of the ballots. At noon the box is locked and the two officers proceed home to dinner. At 1 o'clock the dignitaries of the day return and open the boxes. They are not closed again until "along about sundown," and not while a voter who has not voted is anywhere in the neighborhood. The advent of the new law with its revolutions is viewed with alarm. The two State Central Committees believe it is in the interest of better government, even in these rural localities, to have the new law put into effect, and it is therefore proposed that they meet and decide which plan will be adopted universally, the old or the new. Then when the next Legislature meets the defects in the bill will be remedied, if any exist.

SPRINGFIELD JOTTINGS.

Items of Interest Gathered at the State Capital.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 6.—The State Board of Health has revoked State certificate No. 1280, issued Oct. 11, 1877, to Dr. Robert McPherson of Milledgeville, Carroll County, on proof of conviction of unprofessional and dishonorable conduct, having been found guilty of criminal practice in the town of Coleta, Whiteside County. His further practice in Illinois is declared illegal.

The board has issued certificates entitling the following physicians to practice medicine in this State: Lloyd R. Atkins, A. D. Bevan, Edward Bowers, J. D. Brandon, J. C. Brubaker, Charles A. Campbell, Geo. W. Emery, Francis A. Henning, Robert L. James, Chittick Mortland, Berthold Pirosch, William M. S. Rimmert, Frank A. Thorn and Silas Young, of Chicago; Lorenzo D. Boaz, Texas City; Harvey S. Bossart, Kankakee; Albert S. Burt, Momence; Herbert D. Ensign, Polo; Mack Jones, Cisco; George H. Knapp, Jerseyville; Wm. H. Lacon, Litchfield, and H. A. Minassian, Eureka. Midwife certificates have been issued to Anna M. Sauer of Kensington and Mrs. Emma Schack of Chicago.

The Adjutant-General issued a commission to Charles E. Hook of Ottawa as First Lieutenant of Company M, Sixth Infantry.

The resignation of Second Lieutenant E. S. Packard of Cavalry Troop B, Bloomington, is accepted.

An election is ordered in Cavalry Troop B, Bloomington, at 8 o'clock p. m. Monday, Feb. 15, for Second Lieutenant. Capt. W. P. Butler will preside.

Capt. T. W. S. Kidd, editor of the Springfield *Morning Monitor*, was appointed by Judge Allen of the United States Court United States Commissioner for this district.

Vice Capt. J. S. Bradford, deceased.

The Governor issued a requisition on the Governor of California for Frank Capps, wanted in Pittsfield for robbery, and under arrest at Los Angeles, Cal.

The Secretary of State issued licenses to incorporate the following new companies:

The Kaolin Mining Co. of Chicago, to mine kaolin and manufacture alum and porcelain; capital stock, $1,000,000. Incorporators—Percy C. Hamilton, William Phelps and W. O. Wilson.

Chicago Public Stock Exchange of Chicago, to furnish facilities for trading in bonds, stocks, grain, pork, etc.; capital stock, $1,000,000. Incorporators Walter D. Valentine, Edward H. Cooke and Jesse F. Baker.

The Columbian Celebration Co. of Chicago; capital stock, $2,000,000. Incorporators—Lewis H. Utz, Charles Y. Bright and Rowel Crosby.

The Wilcox Anti-Friction Journal Co. of Chicago; to manufacture bearings, etc.; capital stock, $200,000. Incorporators—Charles Fellows, John C. Polley, Jr., and James W. Morgan.

Deputy United States Marshall Bacon brought in W. L. Mitchell, the late Postmaster at Eldorado, Saline County, who is charged with embezzling from the money order fund. The amount stolen was about $500. Mitchell's defalcation extended over several months. He has been dissipating for some time past and became behind in his statements, and finally a Post-office Inspector was sent there, who discovered that Mitchell had appropriated the Government's funds. He was suspended from office ten days ago. Mitchell is married and has a family of seven children. He entered a plea of guilty in the United States District Court. Sentence was suspended.

Mr. John G. Fogarty, the grocer, had removed from one of his legs a knife blade. When a boy, another boy with whom he was playing, threw a knife at him, the blade of which stuck in the member and broke off. The blade had been in the leg eleven years, and during that time had worked down four inches.

Hillsboro—Court Notes.

HILLSBORO, Ill., Feb. 6.—Proceedings in Probate Court: Last will and testaments are filed in the estates of Simeon Welch, Elizabeth McGuire and Soper Clark and Oella C. Welch, R. F. Bennett and Chas. L. Lander appointed executors in the order the estates are named.

Widow's relinquishment and selection filed in estate of Adam Lang.

Inventory and appraisement bills are filed in the estates of Gabriel Tate, Edward F. Bachstein, Michael Manske and John Keisler.

S. W. Marietta is granted leave to sell personal property in the estate of H. Gimler, and F. W. and Leonard Ludwig are given permission to sell grocery stock of E. Ludwig at private sale.

Exception is filed to a portion of the widow's award in the estate of Berry Nail and the court reduced it $125.

R. F. Bennet is appointed administrator of the estate of Mary A. Henderson; also administrator de bonis non of the estate of Joseph R. Day and Levi A. Hussey of the estate of Caroline Vogler. The proper bonds were filed in all cases.

Clerk of the Probate Court B. A. Hendricks reports that the grippe has caused an exceedingly large amount of work in his office on account of the many deaths in the county forcing estates into the court for settlement.

The following have taken out marriage licenses since Tuesday: Chas. F. Hennick and Mrs. Anna L. Edrington, Litchfield; Wm. C. Hill and Miss Hattie E. Fields, Litchfield; Lewis M. Bandy, Haney Bend, and Mrs. Mary E. King, Irving; Andrew J. Black, Fitzgerral, Ill., and Mrs. Laura J. West, Hillsboro; Joseph F. Carlile and Mrs. Maggie Carriker, Rannteer; Jasper Harris, Fillmore, and Miss Nina Beck, Coffeen. The number of widows who have ceased to live single would indicate that Leap year is being properly remembered.

The Free Methodists have begun a revival service under the leadership of their pastor, Rev. B. F. Grigg.

The head of the Bond County F. M. B. A. organization has issued a call asking all who are still members of that order to meet in Greenville Tuesday, Feb. 9. He also requests that delinquent lodges hold meetings and be ready to make reports of their acts and doings at the county meeting in April, or surrender their charters, or they may be stricken by the Secretary of the General Assembly. Wm. F. Wilson is the President of the Bond County association.

In the County Court Lucinda Cary is appointed guardian of Edna Williams, minor heir of William Williams, deceased.

John R. Challacombe, Chairman of the Republican County Central Committee, issued an order to the members of that body to convene in Hillsboro Tuesday, Feb. 16, to attend to business, among other things to fix a date for the calling of the Republican Convention.

Montgomery County, according to the new appointment made by the State Central Committee, will have ten delegates in the next Republican State convention.

Circuit Court has adjourned until the April term. This week has been taken up listening to motions for new trials and like work. No jury has been on duty.

The mines in Central Illinois have not yet been able to get out sufficient coal to overcome the demand caused by the supply running short in towns where there are no mines located during the cold weather of January.

Rev. C. A. Crane, formerly a pastor of the Methodist society, is to lecture in the Lutheran Church here the 22d inst., under the auspices of the Missionary Society. Rev. Crane now resides in Danville, Ill.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. L. R. Slaughter at her home in Madera, Fresno county, Cal. Mrs. Slaughter was the wife of Capt. L. R. Slaughter, and both parties were long residents in this city and Litchfield, where they have many friends.

Henry E. Appleton, who for twenty-four years has had charge as manager of the coal mine at Litchfield, recently sold all his rights and interest in the company to David Davis, Jr., and Isaac Kirby, and retires from active work on account of ill health. The new proprietors have now taken charge of the mine.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. have been raising funds by private subscription to help pay expenses of 1891 and 1892.

O. M. Williamson has disposed of his saloon in this city to William Leidel of Greenville.

Windsor, Ill.—Kesley Cured.

WINDSOR, Ill., Feb. 6.—Miss Ella Warden of Rushville is visiting relatives here.

Arthur Jordan, the Indianapolis poultry man, was here looking over the ground preparatory to establishing a poultry and dressing house here.

At the City Council meeting a Board of Health was appointed, consisting of three physicians. They visited the town and signified their readiness and pronounced it only a rash, so our schools will begin again Monday.

Prof. W. J. McCormick is visiting a sick brother in Tower Hill.

Jno. W. Yantis, our member of the Board of Equalization, was in town to-day setting stakes for a renomination.

A dance was given by Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Horn last night and was well attended.

Prof. O. C. Bennett of the Lexington schools was in town on his way to Loxa, where his mother is dangerously ill.

The county teachers' meeting will be held at Cowden Saturday.

Will Shrader and wife have purchased and moved to a farm in Crawford County.

Miss Hattie Poe was surprised a surprise birthday party by her parents and friends Tuesday evening.

J. W. Bailey, Commander of the Sons of Veterans at Stewardson, has organized a camp of the Sons at this place.

Uncle Thomas Kenny, a pioneer of this township, has been dangerously ill.

The American flag will float over our school in the future, the pole having been put in position. The flag-raising exercises will take place Friday.

Harry Ingram of Stewardson was a business visitor here to-day.

Rev. W. Davis of Charleston, who was suspended from the M. E. Conference recently by a committee of ministers pending an investigation of charges against him, has returned from a three weeks' visit at the Kesley Institute, Dwight, Ill., and has entered the field as a lecturer on the Gold Cure. He will be at Windsor in the near future.

Messrs. Harry Baldwin, Fred Gounez and B. Gharrett are spending the week in St. Louis.

Mrs. H. F. Rasselwood has returned to her home in Knox City, Mo., after a two weeks' visit here.

Greenfield—The Electric Light.

GREENFIELD, Ill., Feb. 6.—The proposal of lighting the city by electricity seems to be on a standstill as two Aldermen are bitterly opposed to the idea.

At the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Illinois Band Association, held in Carlinville Feb. 4, the following business was transacted: Prof. C. C. Jeffries of Jacksonville was appointed as Grand Musical Director, with Wm. Blue of Girard and Frank S. Boosinger as assistants. Prof. R. M. Middleton was elected Secretary and Treasurer and Prof. Adam Weimer of Carrollton as Treasurer. The last office compels the occupant to file a bond for $1,000. Also the office of Secretary has a bond fixed at $1,000. Nothing was done as to the place of holding the second annual jubilee, owing to several towns not being prepared to make a bid. Another meeting of the Executive Committee will be held April 15, when they will decide the time and place. The style of seal the association have adopted is as follows: The center has a lyre and around the edges it reads as follows: "Illinois Band Association, Incorporated Feb. 4, 1892."

This week protracted meetings have been held in three churches at Kane, this county, and as a result about one hundred conversions.

About forty members were present at the meeting of the Anti-Horsethief Association at their recent meeting held at Locust Grove.

Thorton G. Capps has announced himself as a candidate for the office of County Surveyor for this (Greene) county.

There is talk of a candidate from this (Rockridge) Township, to represent the F. M. B. A. in Congress, Judge Wilmeside, residing in White Hall, fell in his home by being tripped up by a rug, striking his side on a chair post, inflicting a painful bruise and probably breaking his rib. He is 80 years of age.

Elder B. B. Hamilton attained his 70th birthday on Feb. 4, on which occasion a fine dinner was provided and all reported to be an enjoyable time.

Rev. J. F. Alexander of Auburn, Ill., spent a day this week with old friends.

The members of the Central Committee of Greene County are requested to meet in the Court-house in Carrollton, Ill., on Feb. 13, 1892, at 1 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of deciding on time and manner of holding primary elections, and for the discussing of other matters consistent with the holding of such primaries. Candidates for office and Democrats interested in the holding of primary elections are requested to be present.

Jacksonville—The Asylum Investigation.

JACKSONVILLE, Ill., Feb. 6.—The Insane Hospital investigation ended yesterday.

Dr. Jackson testified that he had charge of the four patients—Seymour, Scroggins, Schiller and Hackney—whom Brewer said had been left to die unattended. He showed that Brewer, as superintendent of the wards in which these patients were confined, had full charge, and it was his duty to call Watchner whenever necessary. The patients had been given every attention and never suffered neglect.

The statement of Collins that his department had been furnished but twenty-two pounds of meat one day was refuted by Ed Dollear, the asylum butcher, whose books showed that 250 pounds of meat had been furnished that day.

As to the assault on Mrs. Leary, a violent patient, Dr. Frost testified that she had made no unprovoked attack upon him and had to be restrained, but no more force was employed than was imperatively necessary to control her.

Dr. Winslow testified as to the uniformly good quality of the food furnished, and that the treatment of patients was kind. Whenever abuses were discovered the attendant was promptly discharged.

Dr. Carriel testified at length as to the charge that he had withheld money sent him to pay transportation of a patient named Zeisner to Bloomington. He handed over the board the original package containing the money, which was being held by the officers subject to the call of the friends of the patient, it not having been used.

The story of the drowning in the reservoir, where a patient had been drowned, being used by the institution, was shown to be false, as the reservoir was filled with fresh water, which was always filtered before being used.

The story of the birth of an illegitimate child in the institution was denied by the officers and was not substantiated by evidence of any of the witnesses.

Cairo—A Brave Girl.

CAIRO, Feb. 6.—Capt. David M. Dryden, for many years Falls Pilot Louisville, and known to all Western boatmen, now resides on a farm at Blandville, Ky. He was 80 years old yesterday. He is in Cairo on a visit, and appears to have years of life yet before him.

The Sidney Dillion and My Choice, with barges from St. Louis were the first arrivals of the spring of '92 from St. Louis. The Future City today will go South with the barges they brought out.

Dr. John E. Owens, Surgeon General of the Illinois Central Railroad and chief of the Medical Department of the Columbian Exhibition, was here yesterday in the interest of the road.

A negro sleeping car porter on the St. Louis & Southwestern Railroad, named J. F. Brown, confessed to the theft of a lot of coon skins and other furs that were in transit to this city. The knowledge of the theft came about in a singular way. Brown sold a portion of the stolen goods to another colored man, who in turn sold them to the consignee of the original lot. When the latter were delivered to the consignee they were short and the skins he had just bought seemed so like the others that inquiry was instituted, resulting in the confession.

Miss Kiley, on Jefferson avenue is the heroine of the hour. She was awakened on Wednesday night by a burglar, who was in the act of going through the house in good shape. Springing out of bed, she grabbed a revolver and was about to perforate his hide, when he flew out of a door, he had luckily for him left standing open. The lady followed him as fast as possible, but the burglar made good his escape.

Capt. Jack Goodrich and Engineers Hebron and Shoemaker of the transfer steamer W. H. Osborn resigned yesterday, and their places were filled by Capt. Donahoe and Engineer Ben Magee, recently of the Little Eagle.

Mascoutah—Church Bell Dedication.

MASCOUTAH, Ill., Feb. 6.—The Chinese Educational Society held a meeting at the residence of Mrs. George Gaskell last evening. There was an interesting programme, consisting of declamations, readings and songs. Miss Lulu Gaskell read a paper on "Christ, Ingersoll and Confucius." Rev. Chas. Holtkamp delivered a discourse on Confucius.

The new church bells received this week for the Evangelical Protestant Church will be dedicated tomorrow. A large number of clergymen from abroad will be here and participate in the dedication exercises.

A masked ball will be held at New Memphis this evening.

Dr. George Leibrock was called to St. Louis yesterday by the serious illness of his daughter, Mrs. George H. Leibrock.

News was received here yesterday of the death of Herman Knoeblock, a prominent Washington County farmer. His death was accidental, but the cause is not known here.

Mrs. Fred Friess of Shenandoah, Io., is visiting relatives here.

Mr. John Scharth, Jr., is in Springfield, Ill., representing Mascoutah Lodge, No. 145, at the session of the Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Mutual Aid.

Representative Louis Perrottet of Reutchlers was in town yesterday.

Editor J. J. Anderson of Nashville will likely be the Democratic candidate for the State Senate in the Forty-second District at the next election. The district is composed of the counties of Washington, Clinton and Bond.

Staunton—Arrested for Forgery.

STAUNTON, Ill., Feb. 6.—John Champion, a young man from Modesto, a few days ago was charged with forging a check on the Waverly Bank, which he has cashed at the Modesto Bank. He immediately left for Clinton, Mo., but as soon as the forgery was discovered he was arrested and brought back. He is now in the County Jail at Carlinville.

John Clevenger has again been awarded the Superintendency of the County Poor Farm by the Board of Management.

Mr. Henry Krainefelt, living about six miles east of here, died Thursday night.

Mr. John Hedge died in Bunker Hill Thursday, aged 83 years.

Miss Nettie Webster has returned from Benton, Ill., where he went to attend the funeral of Mr. A. C. Stalcup. Deceased was the father of the late Mrs. C. C. Webster.

Revival meetings are in progress at the Presbyterian Church.

The revivals at the Baptist Church have been closed.

Chester—Insane Criminals.

CHESTER, Ill., Feb. 6.—Mrs. Wm. McCullum has returned from a visit to Cincinnati.

Mrs. R. E. Sprigg is the guest of St. Louis friends.

Dr. Wm. R. Mackenzie is planning to build a fine residence in the spring.

Mrs. Clara Holbrook Smith has been appointed Secretary for Illinois of the New York Chautauqua by Bishop Vincent.

There are now ninety-nine insane criminals in the new asylum at this place.

Hon. G. W. Smith, member of Congress from this District, is announced in local Republican papers as a candidate for re-election.

Steamboats have resumed operations. The river remains at a very low stage of water, which is a constant drawback to navigation.

At an election of officers of the First National Bank the other night, M. C. Crisey was elected President; T. G. Chadwick, Vice-President; J. D. Gerlach, Cashier; Theo. Saxenmeyer, Assistant Cashier; Gordon & Allison, Attorneys.

The City Council determined last Monday night to make the offices of Street Commissioner, Harbor Master and City Marshal appointive instead of elective as heretofore.

Olney—Directors Elected.

OLNEY, Ill., Feb. 6.—Messrs. Chas. Schults, James E. Wharf, John Schmid, John Von Gonton, Jr., and Judge T. A. Fritchey were elected directors for the Olney Canning & Evaporating Co. by the stockholders last Monday.

The annual meeting of the Richland County Horticultural Society will be held at the Court-house Tuesday, March 1. The election of officers will be held for the ensuing year.

Bids for the Olney water-works will be opened next Tuesday.

A number of attorneys are attending the Lawrence County Circuit Court this week, now in session at Lawrenceville, Ill.

Mrs. Judge T. A. Fritchey left Wednesday for Urbana, O., to spend some time visiting relatives.

Mrs. F. Landenberger and her sister Mrs. A. Murphy, are visiting relatives in Connelsville, O.

State Treasurer Ed S. Wilson is at home, having arrived Wednesday night.

Prof. Geo. H. Page, superintendent of the Newton public schools, and Miss Nellie Ward, teacher in the same school, were married by the Rev. C. W. Sebin.

The Richland County fair will be held Oct. 17 to 21 inclusive. Already exhibitors are inquiring for space.

Mrs. Lou Redell and son are visiting Mrs. Jno. Horner of this city.

F. T. Phillips, druggist, and ex-Representative G. D. Slanker are both fighting for the nomination for State Senator from the Forty-second Senatorial district. The former belongs to the Hall-Cullom and Fifer crowd. The latter are the anti-crowd.

N. Goodwin of this city was 84 years old last Wednesday, Feb. 3. He has been a member of the I. O. O. F. forty-five years, and the members of the order surprised him by presenting him with a veteran Odd Fellow pin.

The Republicans will hold a township convention next Wednesday to select delegates to the County Convention, which convenes in this city Feb. 17. Olney township will select twenty-four delegates, and a fight will be made to defeat the faction Hall-Cullom, Fifer or anti, are the strongest.

Salem—To Sail the Air.

SALEM, Ill., Feb. 6.—Application for license to incorporate and form a stock company was forwarded from here to the Secretary of State. The name of the corporation is to be Green's Aerial Navigation Co. Capital stock, $50,000, of 5,000 shares of $10 each. Duration of the company, thirty years; object, to manufacture airships; principal office, Salem, Ill. Incorporators—Green, the inventor; Charles M. Schaeffer, R. C. Hays, merchant; Capt. J. M. Green, farmer and stockdealer; J. M. Morrow, Jr., restaurant keeper; S. B. Bogan, physician and surgeon, and W. H. Lewis, capitalist, of Denver, Colo. The books for subscription to the capital stock will be opened here next week.

Litchfield—Local Happenings.

LITCHFIELD, Ill., Feb. 6.—The car shops aver age nineteen freight cars per day. They are all equipped with the Westinghouse air brake.

Mrs. B. M. Munn of Williamsette, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Paden the past week, returned home this morning.

Miss Maud Majors of St. Mary's, O., is the guest of Mrs. W. T. Witmer.

The latest addition to the city in the line of manufacturing is a broom factory.

Thomas Hamilton of Gillespie is visiting friends here.

The Terpsichoreans will be entertained by Prof. Rindt's Dancing Academy to-night.

Michael Clair is dangerously ill with lung fever. His physicians state that there are no hopes for his recovery.

Miss Ellie Harris returned to her home in Butler yesterday after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Livingstone.

Miss Emma Harry of Charleston is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. B. Hennessy.

Jacksonville—Republican Gathering.

JACKSONVILLE, Ill., Feb. 6.—Richard Robinson gave a large party Thursday night at his home near Orleans, about seventy-five guests being present from this city.

The Jacksonville Southeastern has ordered 100 new coal cars of 60,000 pounds capacity each from the Elliott Car Co. of Gadsden, Ala.

Hon. H. C. Gittings of Terre Haute, Henderson County, Ill., who has been attending the investigation at the Hospital for the Insane, has returned home.

Mrs. Susan Schirlitff, wife of A. P. Schirlitff of Lynnville, died Thursday. The funeral occurs Saturday morning.

A number of prominent Republicans of the Tenth Congressional District met here Thursday for conference. It is understood they indorsed the candidacy of Richard Yates for Congressman-at-large. Every county in the district was represented.

Robert Brown and Miss Ida Chapman were wedded Thursday night.

Elmer Barrington is here from St. Louis. His father is very ill.

Carlyle—The River Rising.

CARLYLE, Ill., Feb. 6.—The Delicatessen Club was entertained this evening by Mrs. W. H. Clabaugh at her residence in Middle Carlyle. The numerous guests were nicely entertained.

The Kaskaskia River is rising rapidly at this city. A ten-foot raise in the last twenty-four hours has taken place. Three thousand men on the banks of the river between here and Vandalia will be brought down by a large force of infantry, who are now at Shattuc.

The tax collectors of the different townships of Clinton County have given bonds.

The Carlyle Hunting and Fishing Club are repairing their beautiful little steamer, the Emma L., and will soon be ready to go on hunting excursions. Hunters say that there are thousands of ducks in the river bottom, and duck shooting will be the best had here for five years.

Dr. Wm. J. Frost, rector of the Episcopalian Church in this city, is seriously ill with the la grippe.

Litchfield—Freight Cars Ditched.

LITCHFIELD, Ill., Feb. 5.—Mrs. Chas. Kimmons is suffering from a severe attack of la grippe.

Miss Fannie Johnson is the guest of Decatur friends this week.

Four Wabash freight cars were ditched between here and Mt. Olive, caused by a tie falling across the track. Early passenger trains were obliged to run over the Big Four from here to St. Louis.

A valuable horse belonging to H. Kinser while pulling a butcher wagon fell and broke its back.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hall on Union avenue was entered by burglars on $175 in cash and all of Mrs. Hall's jewelry and various other articles stolen. Not content with this the robbers invaded the cellar and ate a hearty supper of pastry and canned goods, topping it off with a quart bottle of Old Crow whisky, which they found. As yet there is no clew to the robbers, but it is suspected that local talent did the work.

Paris—Arrest of Carter.

PARIS, Ill., Feb. 6.—Deputy Marshal Sam Williams arrived in the city with Charley Carter, the negro whisky peddler who shot Deputy Marshal Bill Colbert at Atoka, who was trying to arrest him, about 9 o'clock Wednesday morning. Colbert and another man first found Carter at a restaurant, where shots were exchanged. Later they met at the depot, where Carter shot Colbert through the arm, shattering it badly. About 11 o'clock Williams reached Atoka and went in search of Carter. He found him about three miles from Atoka and arrested him without any trouble.

Fairfield—Republican County Convention.

FAIRFIELD, Ill., Feb. 6.—The Republican County Central Committee of this (Wayne) county met here and decided upon Saturday, April 9, as the date of their next County Convention, to nominate a county ticket and select delegates to the different conventions.

Decatur—Cigarmakers' Strike.

DECATUR, Ill., Feb. 6.—Twenty-six union cigarmakers employed at the factories of A. D. Holland and Keck & Weigand are on a strike, and a dozen left the city to seek employment elsewhere. The cause is a failure to get enough wrappers to do eight hours' work each day. There are now three branches of the Cigarmakers' International Federation on a strike, and the probabilities are that other industries will be seriously affected. There has been no violence.

Pana—Truitt a Candidate.

PANA, Ill., Feb. 6.—Republicans from the counties comprising the Seventeenth Congressional District met in this city and prevailed on Maj. James M. Truitt of Hillsboro to enter the lists for the office of Attorney-General. Mr. Truitt is an able attorney, and if nominated it is believed will be elected. The meeting was presided over by ex-Speaker W. G. Cochran of Sullivan. Hon. J. P. Condo of Effingham, S. McKnight, A. G. David and M. L. Keplinger of Macoupin were among those who addressed the meeting.

Sparta—Social Notes.

SPARTA, Ill., Feb. 6.—The young ladies of Sparta are making preparations for a leap year party, to be given at the Broadway Hotel on the evening of Feb. 19.

Mrs. Mary Benjamin, aged 82 years, died at her home Thursday, March 25.

Rev. D. B. Ray of St. Louis will preach in the Odd Fellows' Hall this evening.

Mrs. Emma Quiston of St. Louis is visiting her parents in this city.

M. E. Foster of Dayton, O., is visiting friends here.

Effingham—Candidacy Announced.

EFFINGHAM, Ill., Feb. 6.—The announcement of Capt. F. B. Schooley as a candidate for minority representative for this (the Thirty-third) Senatorial district was given to the public yesterday.

LOOK out for "Carmody's" 10 o'clock and 4 o'clock Merchants' Lunch.

ABOUT TOWN.

VERA MOSER Council, No. 165, A. E. C., will give their next grand complimentary hop at Haydn's Hall, Sixth and Walnut streets, on Tuesday evening, Feb. 9. A double initiation will take place that evening.

HARRY CAMPBELL, a colored boy 7 years of age, living at 521 South Ewing avenue, tried to steal a ride on a coal wagon yesterday and fell before the wheels. The flesh was torn off his left leg from the knee to the ankle and he was otherwise bruised but not fatally injured.

A FIRE was discovered at 2 o'clock this morning in the two-story frame building at 517 South Sixth street, occupied as a storage house for glass, paints and linseed oil by Hunsicker Bros. Cornice Works, 421 South Sixth street. The building and contents were damaged to the extent of $300. Cause of fire, spontaneous combustion.

OTTO MAYER, a young man, was arrested last night by Officers Manger and Mader on complaint of his mother, Mrs. Mary Mayer of 1305 Chouteau avenue, who charges him with stealing twenty-six pounds of feathers valued at $20 from her yesterday morning. A warrant will be applied for charging him with petit larceny.

INSPECTOR BONNELL of the Wabash Railroad, reported a daring burglary that occurred at O'Fallon, Ill., last Tuesday night. The ticket office at that place was broken into and $700 worth of tickets stolen. The thieves also secured $200 worth of jewelry from a jewelry store connected with the office. The use of the tickets has been stopped. A description of the men was furnished the police.

"WOMAN'S VOICE IN THE NATIONAL LEGISLATURE" was the subject of Rev. Anna Shaw's lecture last night before the W. C. T. U. at the First Congregational Church. Miss Shaw is a pleasing address and she caused many to sign the pledge. She spoke of the demoralizing effects of the saloon, gambling, bad literature and theaters. Miss Shaw will speak at the Church of the Union at 11 a. m. tomorrow on "Strength of Character," and at the Church of the Messiah at 4 p. m. on "God's Woman."

SERGT. BREE of the Third District arrested Tom Wilson, a negro, yesterday afternoon, in a pawnshop at 1908 Franklin avenue. Bree caught Wilson trying to pawn a valuable diamond ring. When questioned he could not tell a connected story and was placed under arrest. Bree knew he had some trouble with him, but finally placed the nippers on him and gave him in charge of Officer O'Leary. On the way to the station Wilson attempted to escape, but was finally landed in a cell. Wilson bears a hard reputation.

JESSIE REED, a pretty octoroon of 14 years, left her home at 1314 South 2-twenty-third street last Thursday afternoon, and was yesterday found in a resort on North Sixth street. Her step-mother advised her to run away from home and accompanied her to Cora Higgins' house. The Higgins woman denies that the girl came to her house about 8 o'clock Thursday night and asked for shelter. She was taken in and given a bed for the night. The girl went to her home early the next morning and packing her clothes took them to the Higgins woman's house. The girl alleges that the Higgins woman tried to cause her ruin. The keeper will probably be prosecuted for harboring a female under age.

USE LIEB'S "FLAP-JACK" FLOUR.

MISSOURI MATTERS.

Personal Notes and General News From Interior Cities.

CALIFORNIA, Feb. 6.—Mrs J. W. Moore is visiting relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. D. C. Sterling of Nevada, Mo., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Dr. Burke in this city.

Miss Sarah Coleman of Tipton, is here visiting friends.

Edgar Russell of Eldorado Springs, is here visiting his parents.

Miss Electie Hildebrand has been the guest of Mrs. Polly Hickcox and family.

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BLUE Weather forecast for twenty-four hours, beginning at 8 a. m. to-day, for Missouri: Increasing cloudiness, with rain or snow to-day or Sunday; colder by Monday.

A storm of considerable intensity is now central in Northern Texas, moving northeastward. Rain is preceding it in Kansas and Indian Territory, with snow northwest of the center in Colorado. Cloudy conditions extend northeastward in advance of it as far as the Lake Regions. A slight secondary depression is central in Minnesota which is causing snow in that section.

Weather forecast for twenty-four hours, beginning at 8 a. m., to-day, for St. Louis: Increasing cloudiness and rain; slightly warmer to-night; colder by Sunday night; easterly winds.

THOSE who want the best paper for to-morrow's reading will take the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

JUDGE WOODS will probably be confirmed by a strict party vote. Morality is fast becoming a political issue.

EVERY excuse of Czar ZIEGENHEIN in his "whitewash" statement has turned out to be an admission of shortcoming.

SENATOR HILL seems determined to force the issue between the Democratic machine of New York and the Democracy of the United States.

THE *Republic* is submitting overwhelming evidence that the only circulation it has worth mentioning is that of its weakly edition among the country folks of a few surrounding States.

IT is the conduct of Czar ZIEGENHEIN and his friends which gives rise to the strongest suspicion that there is much more wrong than has been developed in the records of his "dark cellar."

THE closing argument of Col. INGERSOLL against his clerical critics will appear in to-morrow's SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH. It is one of the calmest and strongest essays ever produced by the great anti-Christian.

The SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH *accepts advertising on a distinct and unequivocating guarantee that its circulation in the City of St. Louis and suburbs is more than double that of the "Republic" and larger than any other Sunday newspaper.*

EVERY club selling liquor without a license violates the law of this State. When Collector ZIEGENHEIN cited the number of clubs as a reason for the shortness of his license list, he merely confessed that he had failed to enforce the law.

MR. SIMPSON of Kansas is Democratically inclined and is clear-headed enough to know that the watchword now should be, "Be it repealed," rather than "Be it enacted." And yet he proposes to correct one evil by establishing another. Mr. SIMPSON panders to buncombe in spite of his principles.

MR. GLADSTONE'S programme is more interesting as an indication of what he would like to do than for anything he actually proposes. His references to the land laws and the church show that he looks forward to reforms which he cannot possibly initiate, but which are bound to come about as a consequence of the education and agitation now going on.

SENATOR HALE, who is Mr. BLAINE'S spokesman, affirms that the reciprocity provision is the only redeeming feature in the whole McKinley act. Without it the law would have met deserved destruction. But he ought to explain how we can compete with the English in South American markets when we can't do it in our own without the help of a 60 per cent duty.

WHEN the people of Wisconsin elected a Democratic Legislature in 1890 they bought a new broom. Ever since 1860 the State treasurers have been loaning the public moneys to "pet" banks and getting snug sums in interest which they have put where it would do the most good to themselves. Several exposures have been made and the Democracy has more than once tried to put a stop to the practice. The Republican bosses laughed at such foolish idealism. They were practical men who knew not the Decalogue. But the Supreme Court takes a different view of the matter and has rendered judgment against a number of former treasurers for about $400,000. It pays a people to buy a new broom now and then.

LET OUR LIGHT SHINE.

In the current *Medical Fortnightly* of this city, Dr. H. COOPER COOPER of New York, under the general subject of the duties of physicians to the public, gives a word of advice to Western physicians in particular. He urges them as a means of improving the general condition of the people to take steps to impress upon the poorer classes of New Yorkers, who barely exist in the unwholesome surroundings of the tenement and crowded districts of the metropolis, the fact that there are great, clean, roomy and enterprising cities and a vast expanse of fertile country in the West, where they may find the means of living well and gaining health and happiness.

Dr. COOPER gives as the cause of these hosts of people clinging to New York and huddling together in tenements that they have never heard that such places exist and think that New York is the United States. He says: "The New York papers never print a good word for any city whatever west of Buffalo. True, the utmost importance is given to any kind of crime or political roguery which occurs in Western States. And the more revolting the crime the greater the prominence. But as for saying one word of the beauties or the grandeur or the enterprise of a Western city—never!" The doctor merely shows by this statement that he is one of the few New Yorkers who does not read the leading newspaper of his own city, the WORLD. It is true that there is a disposition on the part of the New York and the Eastern press generally to neglect and belittle the West, but it cannot be said that the WORLD never says a good word for any Western city. It has said many good words for St. Louis. It has editorially and in its news columns set forth and praised its beauties, enterprises, successes and public institutions.

There is ground, however, for Dr. COOPER'S article, and wisdom in the suggestion that the people of the West utilize the opportunities afforded by the World's Fair to bring to the knowledge of the people of the East and of the world the wonderful resources and the advantages for living purposes of the whole West. This advice should be heeded not only by physicianc but by all citizens. St. Louis has already taken the initiative and is preparing to attract visitors through her gorgeous entertainments and to disseminate information about the city and its superb surrounding territory through a bureau of information.

There is no limit to the work that may be done. We have a powerful ally in the WORLD, and other Eastern papers may be utilized through the right kind of effort. If we do our best in this matter there will be no excuse for the most benighted New Yorker's being ignorant of the charms and material advantages of St. Louis.

"PUB. DOCS." FOR PUBLIC LIBRARIES.

The old proverb, "What is everybody's business is nobody's business," receives fresh exemplification in the tabling by the House of a bill for the printing and distributing of public documents. Its purpose is to codify the chaotic and often conflicting rules on the subject, and to stop the enormous waste of money which has made the "pub. doc." a current joke and the Government Printing Bureau a stock illustration of how not to do it.

At the present moment there are nearly half a million volumes in the Capitol vaults which must remain there till some law is passed for their distribution. Year after year thousands and tens of thousands of volumes are printed and bound, only to add to this stock or to be returned by some more or less direct or devious to the paper-mill. And with all this waste there is scarcely a public library in the country that has a complete set of Government publications. Many of the most valuable are obtainable, if at all, only through the favor of a Member of Congress. If the object of the Government Printing Office is to supply Congressmen with perquisites in the way of public documents, would it not be much cheaper for the Government and more satisfactory to Congressmen to distribute half the amount among them in cash, which they could pocket or expend in more attractive books for distribution among their friends?

To an artless Japanese observer it would seem that the Government Printing Office is maintained for the purpose of giving employment to so many printers and binders, and incidentally to provide Congressmen with clumsy souvenirs to send to their constituents. With his faith in the practical nature of the Americans, it would be hard to explain to him that these books contained valuable information which the Government wished to convey to the people. He would say: "Why then do you not place them in the public repositories of books which I notice in every city and town where all the people may see them and obtain the information they want?" And for answer we could only refer him to the proverb quoted above.

The bill is now, we understand, on the Senate calendar, and if passed by that body will be again brought up in the House. Let us hope that a majority of our legislators will favor a law which is not in the interest of any particular constituency or individual, but for the benefit of the whole people.

MADE A CASE.

Police Raid a "Club Charter" Gambling Saloon.

Collector Ziegenhein's Deputy Was Helpless in the Matter.

DRINKS WERE SOLD OVER THE BAR WITHOUT A LICENSE.

The Powhattan Club, With "Jake" Esher as President and Charles, Alias "Brick" Thompson, as Treasurer and Proprietor, Ran Wide Open—The Remarkable Charter Which Exempted It From Paying the Dramshop License—A Significant Story.

Last Saturday night Detectives Scully and Kelly, with a squad of officers, raided the "Powhattan Club" at No. 1118 Pine street. They secured, among other things, the book containing the list of members and officers of the club, the club charter, one bushel of poker chips and 150 packs of cards, and their report shows the following arrangement of the "club house:" On the first floor, a bar fifteen feet in length, where intoxicating liquors were sold, a cash register, such as is commonly used in saloons, and the ordinary outfit of a saloon. In the rear of the barroom, a room containing four poker tables. On the second floor, rooms containing billiard tables and an organ. On the third floor, rooms fitted up for gambling. The place contained in all fifteen rooms. The proprietor was one Charles, alias "Brick" Thompson, against whom the following cases of vagrancy under the third clause appear on the dockets of the Police Court.

May 16, 1891, Thompson was arrested at No. 18 North Twenty-third street under the vagrancy third clause as used against gamblers.

July 1, at Twentieth and Chestnut streets.
July 17, at No. 114 North Eleventh street.
July 28, at No. 108 North Fourth street, room 26.
Aug. ——, at the Hunt Hotel.
Jan. 30, 1892, at No. 1118 Pine street, the "Powhattan Club."

BAN UNDER A CLUB CHARTER.

Thompson is also charged now with running a saloon without a license, and this feature of the "Powhattan Club" is a striking commentary upon Collector Ziegenhein's method of allowing dramshop proprietors to avoid paying this license. On Dec. 15, Detective Scully reported that the Powhattan Club was selling liquor at retail without a city and State license, and a case was made against the place. Officer Ryder, dressed in citizens' clothing, went there, bought a drink of whisky at the bar, and then arrested the proprietor. The case was continued three times in the First District Police Court, and was finally nolle prossed.

When it was nolle prossed, it is stated that Clerk Fox of the First District Police Court said that such action was taken "because the place had a license."

The police again investigated the place and found it to be the same. Another case was made against it on Feb. 2. Officer Kohring, in citizens' clothing, went there, treated a crowd of idlers in the place to whisky, at the bar, and then, stepping to the back door, found selling liquor without a license. The case came up in the First District Police Court on the 3d, and was continued to Feb. 6, to-day.

Thompson's claim to have his dramshop business under a club charter. He carried the charter around with him in his pocket. He took it out and shook it at Detective Scully, saying:

"Here's my authority for selling liquor without a license. Its a club charter, and I don't have to get a license."

This charter is now in the possession of the detective department. It was issued to saloon-keeper John H. Scott of Seventh and Olive streets in 1888, when the "club" dodge was adopted to evade the Sunday closing law, and is issued in the name of the "Powhattan Club." How it can cover the saloon business done by "Brick" Thompson at 1118 Pine street is a mystery. There is no record of transfer of the charter, and none of the original incorporators appear among the present members of the club. The club charter will be found interesting reading at the present time. It is as follows:

POWHATTAN CLUB CHARTER.

Articles of incorporation of the Powhattan Club.

Art. 1.

We, whose names are subscribed hereto, do hereby associate ourselves together under and by virtue of the laws of Missouri as a body corporate under the name of the Powhattan Club of St. Louis, Mo.

Art. 2. The object of this association is to promote sociability, mutual improvement and amusements among its members. To accomplish this purpose the association will meet on such days as may be specified by its members and at such localities as may be selected in the city of St. Louis. For the benefit and intellectual advancement of its members the association arranges regular musical, dramatic and other entertainments as may be designated by the association.

Art. 3. The officers of this association shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, who shall constitute a board of directors and who are authorized to make expenditures subject to the approval of the association, and to appoint such subordinate officers as may be needed for the proper conduct of its affairs.

Art. 4. No person under the age of 21 years can become a member of this association. For the first year the dues to be paid by each member shall not be less than $1 and the Board of Directors shall have power to fix the amount to be paid by members as dues and the times of their payments. All applicants for membership shall be elected by a majority vote of the members present. Members will be entitled to visit with their families all entertainments arranged by the association.

The following persons shall hold and fill the offices set opposite their respective names for the ensuing year, or until a regular election is held: John H. Scott, President; Wm. Hageman, Vice-President; Chas. W. Desi, Secretary; S. B. Cave, Treasurer.

Art. 6. The association cannot be dissolved as long as five members remain in good standing. (Signed) J. H. Scott, C. W. Desi, S. B. Cave, Wm. Hageman, James Ames, Chas. P. Stanley, Thos. Baldwin, W. S. Marks, ——— Fisher, Geo. Wylie, James Hikehold and A. M. Crair.

These articles were filed in the Circuit Clerk's office in the city of St. Louis on Aug. 22, 1888, submitted to the Circuit Court, Aug. 31, 1888, and filed for record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds, Sep. 19, 1888, and filed with the Secretary of State at Jefferson City, Dec. 3, 1888, on which date the proper certificate was issued.

It was with this charter in his possession, with no record of how the Powhattan Club came to be transfered from Scott's saloon at Seventh and Olive streets to the establishment at No. 1118 Pine street, that "Brick" Thompson defied the dramshop license laws, and defied them sucessfully so far as Collector Ziegenhein was concerned. In the book containing the membership list at No. 1118 Pine street, captured by the police, the present officers of the Powhattan Club are named as follows: "Jake" E. Esher, President; John V. Cohick, Secretary, and Charles Thompson, Treasurer. The membership roll contains the names of many local gamblers, and the detectives report that the Powhattan Club as it existed at No. 1118 Pine street was the resort of men known as gamblers and of Pool Alley frequenters.

WHAT THE HELPLESS OFFICERS CONFESS.

Now for the remarkable exhibition made by the City Collector's office in this case. On Dec. 14, Detective Scully told Deputy Dan Siegmund, Collector Ziegenhein's office that the place was doing a dramshop business without a license. The matter apparently ended there, so far as Deputy Collector Siegmund and the detectives were concerned. But when the case was made against the "Powhattan Club" by the police Deputy Collector Siegmund again showed up.

"How in the world did you get in?" he asked of Detective Scully. "I couldn't get in there. I didn't know how to work it so as to make the case."

"That was easy enough," says Detective Scully, in telling the story. "All any one had to do was to go there and order a drink. If you wanted to sign your name to the book, all well and good, and you thereby became a member of the Powhattan Club without further formality.

"But if you did not care to put your name in the book you got your liquor all the same and paid for it just as you would in any other saloon."

With "Jake" Esher of Scher's Varieties as its President and Charles, alias "Brick" Thompson, a gambler, as its treasurer and proprietor, the "Powhattan Club" opened up for business only last month, after three months of elaborate preparation of the "club-house." On Jan. 22 it celebrated its opening by a grand "ball" which is said to have been a lurid affair. Detective Scully states that the place was a gambling hell and that Thompson had "steerers" out working "suckers" into the place, their operations being carried as far as East St. Louis. This is the sort of place which claimed protection under the illegal "club charter" system. And judging from Deputy Collector Dan Siegmund's remarkable failure to do his plain duty in the premises, the "Powhattan Club" would have been running wide upon to-day under its club charter if the city had been compelled to depend solely upon Collector Ziegenhein's office to bring the "Powhattan Club" to a reckoning.

CHURCH CHAT.

Good Work Being Done by the Y. P. S. C. E. and Epworth Leagues—Notes.

Rev. E. E. Willey, pastor of the Church of the Redeemer, will begin a special series of addresses on "The Story of the Fast Young Man," at the Down Town Branch of the Y. M. C. A., 409 North Eleventh street, at 4:30 o'clock Sunday afternoons, his topic next Sunday being "Leaving Home." On Saturday night the young men's meeting at this branch will be addressed by Rev. J. P. Harper, and the business men's noon meetings will be led next week by Mr. James E. Fogg.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor and the Epworth Leagues of this city have combined upon a work of charity which, judging from the results already attained will do a great deal of good. The secretaries of all the Societies and Leagues in the city have been asked to select committees and go to work collecting cast off clothing of all kinds to be given to the poor through the medium of the Provident Association. A committee of five including Howard Gambill; Edgar McClelland, President St. L. C. E. Union; C. G. Bowman, President United Epworth Leagues; W. O. Andrews, Vice-President Y. P. U. of the M. E. Church South and C. S. Leverson, has undertaken the work of communicating the plan to all the branches in the Leagues and Societies and then to collect the goods received. Each society is requested to have the matter brought properly before the congregation of the church to which it belongs and then have the donations sent to the church in the care of the sexton. As soon as the quantity will warrant, Mr. Gambill at 4026 Cook avenue is to be notified and then the goods will be sent for. It is the desire of the Committee of Five that the pastors of the various churches announce the organization of the new plan to-morrow, and that it be mentioned at the Sunday-school and young people's meetings. The work, although just inaugurated, has had good results in the Cook Avenue Church having sent in thirty-seven bundles, aggregating 800 pieces of clothing and $4 in money. These collections were sent immediately to the Provident Association.

Rev. Benjamin St. James Fry died yesterday afternoon of erysipelas after an illness of only a week. Dr. Fry was best known here as the editor of the *Central Christian Advocate*, a paper devoted to the interests of the Methodist Church, which he conducted with great success and the good wishes of all. Benjamin St. James Fry was born in Tennessee in 1824, and spent the early part of his life in Ohio, although his parents came from Rhode Island. He was admitted to the ministry when quite a young man, and preached throughout Ohio until the breaking out of the war. Then he served three years as chaplain in the Sixty-third Ohio Regiment. After the war he was sent to this city to organize a Methodist Book concern. In 1872 he was elected managing editor of the *Christian Advocate*, which position he held until the time of his death. He leaves a wife, two sons and one daughter. The remains will be sent from the family home at Clifton Heights to Cincinnati for interment.

The St. Louis Spiritual Association have engaged Mr. Moses Hull of Chicago, the well-known Bible interpreter and expounder, for the four Sundays of February. In Mr. Hull the association has secured one of the best lecturers in the field of spiritual culture. In the Hebrew and Greek languages he is a scholar of known ability. His translations from the Hebrew scriptural writings, and explanations thereof place an entirely different light upon the Bible from that held by the average mind. Mr. Hull will lecture to-morrow (Sunday) at 10:30 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. at Howard's Hall, at Olive street and Garrison avenue.

Rev. Anna Shaw of Boston is in the city lecturing for the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. She will preach for Dr. Larned at the Church of the Unity, Park and Armstrong avenues, to-morrow morning. In the afternoon at 2 o'clock she lectures in Dr. Snyder's church, corner Locust and Garrison. Her subject in the morning will be "Strength of Character," and in the afternoon, "God's Women."

Unusually interesting services will be held at the Lafayette Park Presbyterian Church to-morrow. The sacraments of the Lord's Supper and of baptism will be administered in the morning, when several new members will be received into the church. Instead of the usual preaching service at night, there will be a service of song and praise, in which the choir will have a prominent part. The choir is composed of the following persons: Miss Bertha Arnold, soprano; Mrs. W. A. McCandless, alto; Mr. N. E. Vinson, tenor; Mr. H. G. Noel, bass; under the direction of Mr. Frank J. Benedict, organist.

The Presbyterian Church of the Covenant will hold its first children's night at the church to-morrow evening. Mr. Thomas Munison will deliver an address which will be followed by recitations and singing. A cordial invitation is extended to all who are interested in this kind of work.

Rev. J. W. Ford will deliver a lecture on "Africa Illustrated" at the lecture room of the Second Baptist Church next Monday evening before the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor. The proceeds will be devoted to missionary work.

Rev. A. W. Mann will hold services for deaf mutes in the chapel of Christ Church Cathedral to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock and in the afternoon at 3 o'clock. Holy Communion will be administered at the morning service.

Rabbi Leon Harrison will speak on "Moral Power, Its Value and Cultivation" at to-morrow morning's services in Temple Israel.

Rev. C. F. Williams will speak to railroad men to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at Union Depot Branch of the Young Men's Christian Association.

There will be a mass-meeting to-morrow afternoon at Lightstone Hall, in the interest of the newly established Hebrew "shelter for the poor."

Rev. Wm. Johnson, of People's Central Church is sick and unable to fill his pulpit to-morrow. He will have a substitute. In the evening Rev. C. F. Williams will conduct the service.

Rev. J. F. Kirtley of the Delmar Avenue Baptist Church will preach an anniversary sermon to-morrow on the occasion of the close of his third pastoral year.

Rev. J. T. Boone of the Fourth Christian Church will preach on "The Mysterious Light That Shone Around Paul at Tarsus."

Rev. Arthur Garrison, a son of Rev. J. H. Garrison, will preach his first sermon to-morrow at Fifth Christian Church.

HUNTING FOR HIS SON.

A Springfield Father Calls on the Police—Other Missing People.

George Morgan of 917 East Washington street, Springfield, Ill., is in the city looking for his 16-year-old son Willie, who ran away from his home last Wednesday evening and came to St. Louis. Mr. Morgan said he began making inquiries for his son Thursday morning when he learned the boy had not returned home Wednesday night, and learned he had bought a ticket for St. Louis. He followed on the next train. The boy was sickly at home and had often spoken of the advertisements of a doctor in St. Louis. On arriving here the father went directly to the doctor and was told his boy had been there and would return. Mr. Morgan remained about the building all day yesterday, but the boy did not return. He has asked the police to aid him in his search for his son, who is somewhere in the city.

Eugene Stapp, an 11 year-old boy whose parents live at 1518 Benton street, ran away from his home last Thursday morning and has not returned. The police are asked to locate him.

Information is wanted of Chas. Smith, who has been missing from his aunt's residence, 3012 South Broadway, since yesterday morning and has not been seen since. Charles is 14 years of age, small for his age, has dark hair and blue eyes. When he left home he packed all of his clothes in a yellow leather valise and took it with him.

Maggie McCarthy, a 14-year-old girl, has been missing from her home, 1316 Pine street, since yesterday morning. She has short brown hair and brown eyes. She wore a black calico dress with white dots and a black straw hat.

LETTERS PRODUCED.

Mrs. Webb's Epistles to Mr. Soulard Read in Court.

SHE MADE REQUESTS ON HER UNCLE FOR ASSISTANCE.

Both Mrs. Webb and Mrs. Jennings Testify That They Regarded Mr. Soulard as Mentally Weak—The Celebrated Will-Contest Case Laid Over Until Monday—Other Court News.

The hearing of the Soulard will contest case in Judge Valliant's court has been laid over until Monday in order to give place to the law docket hearing, or the argument by counsel on motions in cases pending in the court, to-day being one of the days set apart for that purpose. The testimony in the Soulard case yesterday afternoon was very interesting. Three witnesses were examined, Mr. Soulard Bogy, Mrs. Eliza Jennings and Mrs. Harriet M. Webb. The two ladies are nieces of Henry G. Soulard and are among the principal contestants of his will. Mr. Bogy, a young man, who testified that on one occasion Mr. Soulard failed to recognize him. He explained who he was to Mr. Soulard, telling him his name was Soulard Bogy. Mr. Soulard said it was a good name, and he hoped the young man would try to be a credit to it. The witness thought it was very strange on the part of Mr. Soulard. Judge Madill asked Mr. Bogy if he did not think it was good sound advice, and he said he thought it was. The lawyer asked him if he intended trying to carry it out, and he said he did.

Mrs. Jennings gave instances of what she regarded as indications of mental weakness on the part of Mr. Soulard, her uncle. He always, the witness stated, said grace at meals. He usually said it before the meal, standing. On one occasion he omitted it. Mr. Soulard also said the Angelus, a prayer. He said this at noon, Mrs. Jennings stated. On one occasion, while she was at her uncle's, he abandoned the prayer before it was finished.

"Are there responses in the prayer?" asked Judge Madill.

"Yes," answered the witness, "in the beginning."

"He did not abandon the prayer because of any failure on your part to make the responses promptly?"

"No, he broke in on 'Hail Mary.' The words seemed to go from him."

"Did you regard that as a sign of insanity?"

"Well, I thought it very singular."

"That is not the question I asked you. Did you regard it as an indication of insanity?" asked the attorney.

"Well, either that or mental weakness."

Mrs. Jennings also related a circumstance of her uncle taking her into the picture gallery and introducing her to his ancestors. When he came to his grandfather's picture he shed tears. Witness thought it strange. Cross-examined by Judge Madill witness stated that Mr. Soulard was a very courteous man and was much attached to his grandfather.

MRS. WEBB'S TESTIMONY.

Mrs. Harriet M. Webb was the next witness. She testified that on an occasion of a visit to her uncle he became lost in the house and could not find his way out. He knew he was and had to be led to his room, near which he was in the hall when he called out. Witness referred to two visits, the last was three weeks before aunt's death. Several years elapsed between these visits. Mrs. Webb lived in Galena, Ill. She regarded her uncle as incapable of managing his affairs at the time of her second visit and he was in a much worse condition, she stated, at the time of her second visit.

Mrs. Webb was put through a rigid cross-examination by counsel for defence.

"Did you consider your uncle crazy on the occasion of those visits there?" Mr. Muench inquired.

"Well, I should not say crazy, but I certainly did not regard him as capable of managing his affairs."

"You were supported by your uncle for several years, were you not?"

"Well, not supported. I was aided by him."

"Well aided then if you wish to put it that way. You were aided by your uncle?"

"Yes."

"That is you received regular contributions from him?"

"Yes."

"For how long a period was this?"

"About twelve years."

"How often used you receive these remittances?"

"Usually twice a year."

"It was a gift on his part, was it not?"

"Yes."

"You wrote several letters?"

"Yes, I wrote some letters."

"To this insane man?"

The witness was silent. Mr. Muench produced some letters and began to read. Attorney Douglas objected to the letters being shown to the witness, which was done, and she identified the letters as written by her. On one of the letters the year was obscure. It was dated the same place and day, but the date without the aid of an expert could not be taken for 1888 or 1889. The first letter read by the attorney was as follows:

MRS. WEBB'S LETTERS.

CHICAGO, May 14, 1889.

MY DEAR UNCLE—I think you can remember when I was last with you would you send me 1 cent? I always be sure of your sending me twice a year the usual amount. Thinking it has been forgotten or that you were sick or broke I am going to remind you of it. As I will be for a week here (Chicago) with one of my daughters who has been ill I wish if you are willing you would send it to me at 1729 Michigan avenue. I think of you very often, my good uncle, in your great loss. With ever so much love, I remain your affectionate niece,

HARRIET M. WEBB.

The next letter read was the one with the obscure date. It was as follows:

GALENA, Oct. 1, 188—.

MY DEAR OLD UNCLE—Soulard's letter was received with the inclosed, for which I send you many thanks. I have been intending for some time sending you Lyda's and my pictures. Hattie sent Lizzie hers some time ago, which I suppose you have seen. I think of you daily, many does and often of my pleasant visit with you a year ago. Mother continues well, and my daughter, who was ill when I last wrote, is much better, but not strong. With ever so much love, in which my good mother and children join, to you and all with you. I remain your affectionate niece,

HARRIET M. WEBB.

Attorney Muench then questioned the witness as to which visit she referred to in the letter—the visit of 1888, just previous to her aunt's death, or the previous visit. As the previous visit had been several years previous to 1888 the attorney argued that it could not have been that one, as the witness had stated that the letter was written either 1888 or 1889, but that she could not tell which. It was therefore assumed, Mr. Muench argued, that the last visit was referred to, which located the date of the letter as 1889.

The attorney produced another letter reading:

GALENA, Dec. 8, 1890.

MY DEAR UNCLE—It is long past the time you have always sent me the usual amount and, thinking it might have been forgotten and needing it very much, thought I would write and ask you. It would not trouble you if I did need is very much. I hope, dear uncle, you are in your usual good health. My good mother keeps wonderfully well and joins me with my children in sending love to my good old uncle, and, with kind remembrances to your family, I remain, your affectionate niece,

HARRIET M. WEBB.

"If you considered your uncle of such unsound mind and incapable of managing his affairs, how is it that you wrote those letters to him?"

"Well, I had always written to him."

MEANT HIS APPETITE.

"What did you mean by his usual good health, was it his strong mind?"

"No, his appetite." (Laughter.)

"Here is one addressed to Mr. Soulard LaMotte," said the attorney, reading:

GALENA, April 11, 1890.

Mr. Soulard LaMotte:

DEAR SIR—As it is about the time uncle sends me the usual $200 and being very straitened circumstances at present, I thought would ask a very great favor of you and that is to have you ask uncle for me if he would add one hundred and thirty-eight dollars more just this once to make me one, and I will be under everlasting obligations to you. Hoping my old uncle's eyes will, I remain yours truly, H. M. WEBB.

The following letter was also read by the attorney:

GALENA, Feb. 24, 1891.

MY DEAR SOULARD—I was very much annoyed just before leaving for the train to see by the paper that you were to St. Louis to contest my uncle's will. I knew the Mollers wanted to drop the retail business in general and go in for perfumery and patent medicines, so I had a talk with them and bought them out at a price satisfactory to us."

Mr. Alexander has sold his lease to Mr. Wells at terms favorable to both, and will move from the corner to the new store, 518 Olive street, about the middle of the month. Mr. Wells said he did not know yet who the new tenant for the corner would be, but it is said that the Missouri Pacific Railroad wants it for a ticket office and that Mr. Wells has been offered the rental he asks. Mr. W. Alexander has been occupying the corner since 1876.

Rev. Dr. Fry's Death.

Rev. Benjamin St. James Fry, for twenty years editor of the St. Louis *Christian Advocate* and prominent in the literary and religious world, died yesterday at the home of his son of grip and erysipelas. He was taken sick while attending the Arkansas conference at Little Rock last week. He was born in Tennessee of Huguenot parents in 1824, and was educated in Cincinnati. In 1844 he became an editor, and after travelling extensively in the South entered the ministry. He leaves a widow, a daughter and two sons. The funeral services will be held at Union M. E. Church and the interment will be at Cincinnati.

Against the Hunt Estate.

The case of John H. Glenn, trustee for the National Express & Transportation Co., vs. Mary L. Hunt, executrix of the estate of Chas. L. Hunt, which has been before the St. Louis County Circuit Court at Clayton for the past three days, was decided yesterday. The suit was brought by Glenn, as trustee, against the estate of Chas. Hunt to collect $3,000 subscribed by him as a member and stockholder of the corporation, which was incorporated under the laws of Virginia, with a capital of $10,000,000, and which, failed after doing business nine months to the amount of $300,000. After some deliberation the jury returned a verdict for the express company for $3,589. This is but one of several hundred similar suits brought against stockholders scattered over the country. The principal issues have been in litigation for the past twenty-seven years in the United States Courts and the United States Supreme Court has rendered an opinion in favor of the company.

Mr. W. G. Steigers.

Will call on merchants wishing to contract for advertising in POST-DISPATCH. Telephone 284.

Mr. F. L. Marshall,

Representing the POST DISPATCH on 'Change, will be on the floor during business hours and will call on merchants who desire to make use of the POST-DISPATCH market reports. Telephone 284.

The Flachmeier Case.

Mrs. Margaret Flachmeier began a suit to-day against Henry Flachmeier and Conrad Flachmeier to have the conveyance of some property set aside. Mrs. Flachmeier alleges that on June 19, 1890, she was married to defendant, Conrad Flachmeier, and that on the day previous he permitted himself to be prevailed upon to make a conveyance of a lot in city block 370, fronting thirty feet on Seventh street, to his brother, Henry Flachmeier, subject to a life interest in the property for himself. The conveyance, Mrs. Flachmeier alleges, was made for the purpose of depriving her of her dower in the property.

This is the second suit between the parties on account of the property. In the first suit Conrad sued Henry, alleging that the latter agreed to give him $2,000 for the property. Henry claimed that it was a free gift in adjustment of property received from the estate of their mother. This case was partially heard in Judge Fishback's court yesterday and brought to a close this morning by Conrad taking a nonsuit and beginning a second action. Broadhead & Etzel represented Henry in yesterday's suit, and Conrad was represented by Rassieur & Schnurmacher, who also filed the suit to-day.

Frank J. Foerstel's Will.

The will of Frank J. Foerstel was admitted to probate to-day. He leaves to his two children, Joseph Herman Foerstel and John Foerstel, each one-third of his estate, to be given them when they come of age. The remaining third is left to Josephine J. Foerstel, wife of testator, and she is made executrix of the estate without bond.

Court Notes.

Mary Gast qualified to-day as executrix of the estate of August H. S. Gast, the value of which is unknown.

Clara Knoll qualified to-day as executrix of the estate of Herman Knoll, the value of which is unknown.

Public Administrator Scudder took charge to-day of the estate of Winfield Coleman, the value of which is not given.

The C. M. Henderson & Co. filed an attachment suit to-day against the First National Bank of Tyler, Tex., for $972.30.

A judgment for $1,006.79 was given to Judge Withrow's court to-day in favor of the Ammuth Malt & Grain Co. and against August F. Vell.

Judge Withrow granted a divorce to-day to Wilhemina Schmittschneider from Herman Schmittschneider, on the ground of desertion.

Peter White filed a suit to-day against the N. O. Nelson Manufacturing Co., for $468.60, which he alleges is due him as royalties on patents.

Letters testamentary were granted yesterday to William J. Lemp on the estate of Jacob Feickert, valued at $46,000, and on that of Elizabeth Feickert, valued at $15,000.

The Circuit Court made an award to-day of the contract to do the City printing for the coming year. There were only two bids submitted and the contract was awarded to the *Star-Sayings* at 15.74 cents per square of 250 ems, agate type. The other bid was by the *Chronicle* and was 40 cents per square of 250 ems agate, for the first insertion and 39 cents each subsequent insertion.

SHOULD BE DONE.

Councilmen in Favor of Forcing Railroads to Provide Safeguards.

PROBABILITY OF ACTION BEING TAKEN AT AN EARLY DATE.

If the Present Ordinance, When Enforced, Is not Sufficient the Assemblymen Announce Themselves in Favor of Adopting One With More Rigid Provisions—Interviews With Councilmen.

There is very little doubt that one of the results of the frightful disaster at the Sarah street crossing of the Wabash road, by which nine men lost their lives and as many more were badly injured, will be the erection of gates or safeguards at all the dangerous crossings in the city, and the stationing of a night watchman as well as a day watchman at every one of them. If the railroad companies do not give the public this protection voluntarily, the city authorities will force them to do it. The present laws for the protection of certain crossings with gates and watchmen must be enforced and a new ordinance should be passed enlarging the territory covered by the old ordinances and increasing the number of crossings to be protected. Several members of the Municipal Assembly stand ready to introduce such an ordinance, and the indications are that it will receive the unanimous support of both houses, just as ordinance No. 11,000 did, which provided for the erection of gates at what were considered at that time—thirteen years ago—the dangerous railroad crossings of the city.

Several members of the City Council were seen in regard to this matter yesterday, and every one expressed the opinion that the public are entitled to and must be given better protection at the railroad crossings than is now afforded by the railroad companies.

COUNCILMAN GORTON'S POSITION.

Councilman Gorton was found to be heartily in favor of the movement for better protection. "I don't say that all the railroad crossings in the city should have watchmen and gates," said he, "but that should be the rule and not the exception. The police must enforce the ordinances already in existence, and which, I understand, apply to a number of crossing that are not guarded in any way whatever. In addition to the gates, we should pass a new ordinance to cover all dangerous crossings that are not reached by present ordinances. I am surprised that the railroad companies don't guard their crossings voluntarily, as it seems to me it would be to their interest financially to do so. The expense would be less accidents at the crossings and much less to pay in the way of damages. The expense of keeping a couple of watchmen would, of course, be considerable, but that would be practically the whole expense, as the gates cost very little. I think the crossings should be guarded at night also, if trains are run at night, as the same danger exists at night as in the daytime."

FAVORS GATES AND FAST TRAINS.

Councilman Anderson talked pretty much in the same way, but wished it understood that he was a friend of railroads and did not want to see any unjust legislative measure imposed upon them. They should be treated, he thought, just as individuals and should be protected in their rights. Persons have a right to their own private property except at crossings and a private individual found on them without permission should be treated as a trespasser. If a trespasser were killed or injured in any way by a train the railroad company should not be held responsible for it. At public railroad crossings, however, it was different. Private individuals had rights there and should be protected. The railroad companies should guard their crossings, or at least those which were used a great deal. He would like to see every railroad leading from the city fenced on both sides its entire length, with gates at depots and gates or bars at crossings. Then they could run their trains as fast as they wanted to, within the city limits as well as in the country. Sarah street ought to have had a watchman that night and all the time he was not altogether on the side of the railroad. The driver of that sleigh should have checked up upon nearing the crossing and should have looked both up and down the track before driving across.

Mr. Anderson said that he would examine the present ordinances relating to railroad crossings, and if they did not provide for the guarding of all dangerous crossings in the city he would introduce an ordinance which would. He thought that there was a very dangerous crossing at Cheltenham that had no guards and remembered also that the Theresa avenue crossing had a heavy wagon traffic, and was crossed by a great many tracks which one watchman without automatic bars or gates could not properly guard. Doubtless there were numbers of other crossings equally dangerous, and they should receive the attention of the Municipal Assembly.

MR. ARNSTEIN ALL RIGHT.

Councilman Arnstein was of the opin

GIVEN NO CARE.

How Injured People Are Brought to the City Hospital.

DR. DALTON SHOWS THE NEED OF AN AMBULANCE PHYSICIANS' CORPS.

Many Patients Die Whose Lives Might Have Been Saved if the City Had Provided for Prompt Attention Being Given to Their Cases—A Needed Reform.

A few days ago a man who had been employed on a steamboat was sent in a city ambulance to the City Hospital. He walked from the boat up the wharf to the wagon and was jogged along over the stones and rough streets to the hospital, where it was found that he had an internal rupture and only escaped dying in the wagon because of his unusually strong constitution. Last night a man was cut and was taken a long distance in the wagon to the hospital. During the ride his bowels protruded through the wound and he was not given the slightest attention until he got to the hospital, and by the time he arrived there his case had been made a great deal worse as a result of the neglect. Such instances as these occur every day almost, and at the end of the year the "stretcher" cases recorded at the hospital and at the Dispensary number up into the thousands. It is impossible to compute the lives lost in consequence, but that they are many there is no doubt and all the city physicians will say so.

AMBULANCE PHYSICIANS NEEDED.

The only remedy possible is to have a corps of ambulance physicians as is the practice in other cities. These doctors could go with the wagon to the place where the patient is waiting. Then he could apply what emergency assistance might be necessary, learn the history of the case and help the patient materially in a variety of ways. Then he could ride in the ambulance with his patient to the hospital or the Dispensary as the emergencies of the case might suggest. It is safe to say that the doctor would save the city his salary by shortening the time necessary to effect a cure in the patient and making unnecessary the expensive and dangerous surgical operations which are now necessary only because of the neglect of the cases in their early stages. The idea of having a corps of ambulance physicians is not a new one. It has been urged time and time again, but the city government has always found an excuse for not appropriating the money. So hopeless has been the crusade, apparently, that when the subject was broached to Health Commissioner Dudley this morning he laughed at the idea and said it would be impossible to get the city to move, as it was now only by constant effort that enough money was received to run the institutions.

One step has been made, however, in the case of the Work-house, which has now a physician detailed to it, and much good has resulted. Now there is no reason, save false economy, to prevent the establishment of the ambulance corps. Doctors are exceedingly numerous in St. Louis, and the quotations in consequence are very down. Active, competent and earnest young men just building up reputations could be secured for less than $100 a month to take the positions, which they would attend to most carefully for the sake of the experience.

DR. DALTON'S REPORT.

The necessities have not been lost upon the Hospital Superintendents, and Dr. Dalton, now in charge of the City Hospital, has done all in his power to have the plan adopted. In his reports, made to the Health Commissioner and by him submitted to the Mayor and Council, the doctor has urged the case unceasingly. He says on the subject:

In my last report I called attention to the practice in vogue of sending unconscious patients to the Hospital without the slightest information accompanying them, regarding the origin of the insensibility or the conditions in which he was found. The importance of such information can only be appreciated by one having the responsibility of the treatment of the case. The slight, but easily acquired history that the patient was seen to fall in an epileptic fit, for instance, or, that he had been ill for several weeks, or, that he fell from a scaffolding, or, that an empty bottle of morphine was found near him, or, that he had been drinking heavily (a cause of unconsciousness by no means easy to determine in some cases), would be of inestimable value in promptly applying proper treatment. But, as observed before, again and again such patients are brought in with the statement on the permit, "did not see the case," supplemented by the driver's disclaiming all knowledge concerning the patient. Our only resource, unless the disease or injury can be diagnosticated from existing conditions, is to await development—or death. During the past year ninety-nine unconscious patients entered the hospital. The large number renders self-evident the importance of making some provisions for the betterment of this part of our service. Of course, as urged in my last report, an ambulance corps of physicians would render invaluable aid in the saving of human life by their timely service in the numerous cases where moments then are worth hours later on. But, in view of the probability that no such system will be inaugurated soon, I would respectfully suggest that our ambulance drivers be required to get such small facts connected with the history of the case as hinted at above, points which need no medical knowledge and little, if any, loss of time for their acquisition, but would be of immense assistance to us in arriving at a prompt understanding of the case. It is little short of an outrage that dollars and cents should be considered in this connection, but this is exactly what prevents an ambulance corps of physicians being provided. St. Louis should be abreast with other cities in this matter and not be always behind. I would respectfully suggest that an effort be made to induce the powers that be to make an appropriation for this purpose.

Again I revert to the great necessity of an ambulance corps of physicians. I have persistently urged this in every annual report but without avail, and yet there is scarcely a need in the Health Department which is quite so glaring. In my last annual report I stated:

"In all my annual reports I have called attention to the glaring need of an ambulance corps of physicians. I have depicted the suffering to which patients are subjected who are hauled over miles of rough streets at a rapid gait, with bleeding wounds, broken bones, intense suffering from many causes, etc. Unconscious cases are brought in without a scintilla of history to assist us in the treatment of the case.

"An ambulance physician could control the speed of the vehicle, staunch bleeding wounds, bind up broken bodies, get a history of unconscious cases, and in many ways could give comfort and timely aid to the unfortunates. In the light of the above well-known facts, I desire to ask how many more annual reports will have to be written before this act of simple justice will be done, this boon to suffering humanity be extended. Our action in this matter suggests that o'er true couplet:

'Hastie hits bones over the stones.
He's a poor pauper whom nobody owns.'

"Language is too meager to express the feelings of one who has a spark of manhood in him. To say that it is downright criminality to weigh dollars and cents against blood and pain is putting it mildly. Ordinary feelings of humanity should arouse us to action in this matter. I weigh every word when I say it is an outrage on common decency, and a travesty upon justice and humanity, to allow this thing to continue. Somebody is to blame in this matter. Who is it?

As the many strong appeals I have made in regard to this need have been answered by "brilliant flashes of silence" I take it that those whose duty it is to see that this reform be inaugurated differ from me as to the necessity of the case. My statements can be substantiated by every physician of this institution as well as those at the Dispensary. Now if there be true surely an awful wrong is allowed to go unrighted.

RECEIVE NO CARE.

Dr. Dalton does not put it a bit too strong. In no other city of the same size are wounded and injured people yanked and hauled around from place to place without proper attendance and care.

The drivers of the ambulances are as gentle as they can be, but know nothing of doctoring, and once they have the patient inside their wagons their entire attention must be given to their horses.

CHEAPER THAN ANTHRACITE

For stove, grate and furnace,
PITTSBURGH CRUSHED COKE,
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704 Pine street.

APPOINTED A NEW ARCHITECT.

P. P. Furber Selected to Change the New High School Plans.

The School Board Building Committee was in session some four hours last night discussing the Furlong plans and the new High School. One of the objects of the meeting was to give Architect Thomas Furlong a chance to reply to the unfavorable report of the experts on his proposed concrete arches. There was a large attendance of architects, builders and others at the meeting eager to see the outcome. When Chairman Gist Blair called the meeting to order, Architect Furlong came in with his attorney, Leo Rassieur, and asked a hearing. Maj. Rassieur, on behalf of Mr. Furlong, read a long paper denying that the arches were unsafe, and that the work done thus far on the new school was faulty. The architect, while insisting that the arches were safe, was yet willing to make changes in the plans, which he said could be made without extra cost. In support of his claims Architect Furlong presented a number of letters from architects, builders and cement dealers, who considered the arches safe.

The committee then went into executive session and decided that the plans and specifications be altered, that a supervising architect be selected, to be paid out of the compensation of Furlong & Brown. The resolution also provided that Furlong & Brown be discharged if they refused to accede to such terms. The allowance for the supervising architect was fixed at $2,000, and after several ballots P. P. Furber was selected. Under this resolution Furlong & Brown must permit Architect Furber to superintend the work of changing the plans and pay him $2,000 for his services, or be released of their contract. Mr. Furlong and his attorney are considering this action.

LOOK out for "Carmody's" 10 o'clock and 4 o'clock Merchants' Lunch.

THE HOUSEHOLD.

Retail Prices of Sundry Supplies That Cheer the Inner Man.

The market was only fairly active this week. The game season closes to-day, and the next change will be to the delicate spring vegetables. Meats and having quite a good market at steady prices and the demand for fish is increasing. Prices generally are much like they were last week:

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Eggs, dozen	30	Logo cheese, cake	10
Country roll butter	25	Swiss cheese	30
Creamery butter	32	Ohio cheese	14@15
Elgin butter	35	Wisconsin cheese	15
Best dairy	27	Comb honey	20

FRUITS.

California pears, doz	40	Bananas, doz	15@20
Mexican oranges, doz	50	Lemons, doz	25
Catawba grapes, basket	35	Grape fruit, each	10
		Pineapples	25@50
		Apples, peck	30@60
		Crystallized fruits, lb	75

FISH.

Red snapper, lb	12½	Smelts, lb	15
Lobsters, lb	20	White fish, lb	12½
Fresh cod, lb	15	Mackerel, each	40
Haddock, lb	6@12½	Halibut, lb	25
Sun-fish, lb	10	Trout, lb	12½
Catfish, lb	12½	Cal. salmon, lb	25
Buffalo, lb	8@10	Eels, lb	25
Lake salmon, lb	12½	Turtle, lb	7
Fresh Herrings, lb	15	Shad, lb	12

GARDEN PRODUCE.

New potatoes, qt	20	Cabbage, hd	10@15
New sweet, pk	40	Butter beans, qt	15
Onions, qt	5	Cauliflower, each	75@1.00
Turnips, qt	5	Celery roots, each	5
Parsley, bunch	5	Mushrooms, bx	10

MEATS.

Corned beef, lb	8 @10	Round steak	10 @12½
Flank steak	12½	Smoked ham, lb	13
Beef roast, lb	12½@15	Pickled pork, lb	10
Breakfast bacon, lb	13	Sausages, lb	10 @12½
Tenderloins, lb	15	Mutton leg, lb	12½
Pork chops, lb	10	Mutton chops, lb	15
Veal roast, lb	15	Veal cutlets, lb	25
Veal chops, lb	20	Pigs feet, doz	35
P'rhouse st'k, lb	17½		

POULTRY, DRESSED.

Chickens, each	35 to 50	Young ducks	40 to 50
Spring chickens	25 to 50	Old ducks	30 to 35
Turkey, lb	15	Geese, each	75c to $1

USE LIEB'S "FLAP-JACK" FLOUR.

The Froebel Society Meeting.

The Froebel Society held its regular monthly lecture meeting this morning at 10 o'clock in the Board-room of the Polytechnic Building.

The room was crowded full of kindergarten teachers, who were highly interested in the subject of the "Relation between Realism and Idealism in Classic Art" as presented by Prof. Wm. M. Bryant. Prof. Bryant explained very clearly his idea of how the constant contemplation of the ideal god-like figures by the ancient Greeks had made them to a marked degree the ideal they worshipped and imitated. The lecture lasted through the better part of an hour and at its conclusion was heartily applauded. The meeting next month will be marked by a lecture on the "Madonna in Modern Art."

At "Carmody's," 215 North Sixth Street, a Merchants' Lunch.

Will be spread twice a day, 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., commencing Saturday, Feb. 6. The finest goods will be used, in keeping with the reputation of this well-known and popular house. Moore & Grigsby's old-fashioned sour mash whisky, spring 1880; "Sherwood," Maryland's finest rye, spring 1886; Geo. A. Dickels & Co., Robertson, spring 1883, are the only whiskies used as our regular bar goods, bought from first hands direct.

Thought They Were Stolen.

John B. Sisty, a traveling salesman, went into the "Two Johns" saloon, 428 South Twelfth street, yesterday, and later he reported to the police that he was robbed of six 1,000-mile tickets and $100. The police investigated the case, and were told by the bartender that Sisty called there yesterday and was under the influence of liquor. Fearing he would lose his valuables, he gave the bartender a package. This was turned over to the police and was found to contain three 1,000-mile tickets. The bartender said the package had never been opened.

BEECHAM'S PILLS will save doctor bills.

Running Too Fast for Him.

William Pennell, a laborer 21 years of age, living at 5744 Cheltenham avenue, jumped from a westbound Missouri Pacific train near Benton Station yesterday afternoon while the train was running twenty-five miles an hour. He rolled down the embankment and sustained severe injuries. He was cut four times in the face, head and neck. Friends carried him to Dr. Purcelle's office, where his wounds were dressed, and he was then taken home. His injuries are not considered fatal.

"COME to my arms," he said. "Can't," says she. "I've rheumatis." "Get Salvation Oil."

Took a Change of Venue.

The case of Paul J. McBride, charged with carrying concealed weapons, which has hung fire in the Second District Police Court for some time, was called again to-day. Officers Lane and Odlum, who arrested McBride, McKane and Odlum, who arrested McBride, were in court, and also defendant and his father. The much expected trial did not materialize, however, because McBride took a change of venue to the First District Police Court.

For Throat Diseases, Coughs, Colds, etc., effectual relief is found in the use of "Brown's Bronchial Troches." Sold only in boxes.

A GRATEFUL MOTHER.

Her Son's Loathsome Disease Removed.

Boy Only 12 Years Old—Chronic Catarrh—Great Discharge From Nose and Throat.

All's Well That Ends Well.

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., Dec. 4, 1891.

The Peruna Medical Co., Columbus, O.:

GENTLEMEN—It is with great pleasure that I write of the benefit derived from your remedy, Pe-ru-na. My little boy, about twelve years old, has always been troubled with catarrh very bad several years, and I had great fears of his going into consumption. He had a bad cough that I could not check, and his head was in a terrible condition. His head discharged so much for years that it was a charge on my mind to keep him supplied with handkerchiefs. I had to use every rag that I could get at hand. It was astonishing how he could discharge so much from his nose. I commenced to give him the Pe-ru-na about a month ago, and the discharge from his head is entirely stopped, and also his cough. He now does not have to use a handkerchief at all. The Pe-ru-na seems to act like magic in his case. I feel as if I can not find words to expeess my gratitude for the medicine; but I do regret that I never tried it before. I thought there was no cure for him, and had given up trying to have him cured; but when I saw the disease so thoroughly explained in the paper by Dr. Hartman I thought I would try his medicine. I never will be without Pe-ru-na in the house, and I will recommend it to all my friends. Very sincerely yours,

MRS. A. E. ACKERMAN,
E. Grand av., Chippewa Falls, Wis.

PE-RU-NA AS A FAMILY MEDICINE.

Used according to directions, Pe-ru-na will secure the family against catarrh, colds, coughs, pneumonia, pleurisy, bronchitis and consumption. It is a fact of ever-increasing astonishment that so many otherwise sensible and provident people will, for the neglect of so simple a precaution as to have a bottle of Pe-ru-na at hand, bring upon themselves the needless suffering and foolish expense that a professional man is forced to witness every day.

A cold in the head, which a single bottle of Pe-ru-na will cure, soon becomes a case of chronic catarrh, which will require many bottles to entirely cure. A sore throat, which one bottle of Pe-ru-na will cure, soon becomes chronic pharyngitis or enlarged tonsils, which will require many bottles. A slight cough, which, without a vestige of doubt, would soon disappear with the use of Pe-ru-na, becomes chronic bronchitis, which requires a persistent use of Pe-ru-na for some time. Every practicing physician sees many cases of consumption each year due directly to a neglect of coughs, colds, etc., which, If Pe-ru-na had been kept in the house and used according to directions, would have been prevented.

In no other department of domestic arrangements is there such stupendous disregard of the welfare of the family as in guarding against the common ills of life by the use of effective and reliable family remedies. If the following advice could reach every household in the land, and with such eloquence as to win obedience, it would convey a blessing to each of a value that would be difficult to exaggerate. The advice is this: Get a bottle of Pe-ru-na, read the instructions on the bottle until they are thoroughly understood, do exactly as they direct, and no catarrh, cold, cough, sore throat, bronchitis, pleurisy, pneumonia, or any other climatic disease will disturb the peace of the household so long as this is continued. To have this remedy at hand before the attack comes, to become intelligent as to its use, is only the most common foresight used in all other departments of ordinary business.

Send to The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Co. of Columbus, O., for a free pamphlet on the treatment of Catarrh, La Grippe, Coughs, Colds, Consumption, and all the climatic diseases of winter.

Rev. Anna Shaw.

To-morrow morning, Church of the Unity; afternoon, 4 p. m., Church of the Messiah.

THE BRIDGE CONTAGION.

It Has Seized All the Environments of the Metropolis.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 6.—The bridge contagion is still spreading and has finally reached Long Island City. A bill has been introduced in the Legislature for the privilege of building not less than one nor more than three bridges over the East River and to be known as the Manhattan & Long Island Bridge Co.

Among those said to be at the bottom of the undertaking are Zenas King and his two sons, James A. and Henry W. King, owners of the King Bridge Co. of Cleveland and constructors of the big bridge over the Ohio River; Daniel Magone, the Collector of the Port of New York under President Cleveland, Daniel P. Elias, S. E. Van Ostrand and Charles A. Otis of the Otis Steel Co. of Cleveland. The company is to begin construction inside of a year after the passage of the act and to complete the same in four years. The company is to start with a capital of $1,000,000, with a privilege of extending the same to $10,000,000.

USE LIEB'S "FLAP-JACK" FLOUR.

Wouldn't Give It Away.

ATHENS, Ga., Feb. 6.—John Williams, a farmer of Limestone, took his seed cotton to Athens to sell, but because the price offered was so low he drove to the center of the bridge crossing Elk River and dumped his load overboard. The staple is lower here than for forty-seven years past.

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You can not be deceived but always insist on the New England Kraut. The best made.

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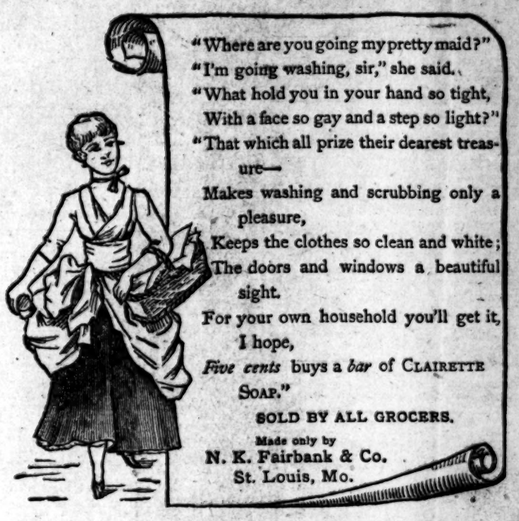
Soap Costs but Little,

And for that very reason everybody can afford the best. The best soap costs actually less than a poor article if you count what it doesn't do, as well as what it does.

Fairbank's "CLAIRETTE" is a pure soap.



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You may laugh and put it off,
Saying Circumstance is King;
You may have the grippe and cough,
Yet there stands the real thing.
Poverty is what we fear—
Homeless—houseless—this a fact;
When man loses year by year—
Scarcely knows he how to act.

Now, McNichol owns the cure,
Something good for every man;
He from want can all secure
With his safe installment plan.
Pay him by the week—you may
Buy what'er you want—to live,
Settle all some other day—
This is just the chance he'll give.

Lack of money moves him not.
If you feel the need and know
That you'll finish without blot,
Paying even when funds are low.
Never mind finances—slack—
Every man knows such at times.
You've no fortune at your back,
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30—STAR ARTISTS—30
Including Miss HELENE MORA, the Greatest Baritone and Character Vocalist in America.
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RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

ETHICAL SOCIETY—Memorial Hall, 19th and Lucas place, Sunday, 11 a. m. Address by Mr. W. L. Sheldon. Subject: "Plato and Socrates; Their Views of Life and Their Ideas of God." The public is cordially invited.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Delmar av. near Grand. Rev. J. H. George, Ph. D., pastor. Annual Christmas service of Bible School, 10:30 a. m. Service, 7:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E., 6:45 p. m.

ST. MARK'S ENGLISH EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH. Bell and Cardinal avs., M. Rhodes, D. D., pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 10:45 a. m., and 7:45 p. m. Sabbath-school at 9:15 a. m. Prayer-meeting and lecture by the pastor every Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock. The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor meets every Sunday evening in the church parlors at 6:30. Welcome.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, n. w. cor. 17th st. and Lucas pl.—Rev. S. J. Nicolls, D. D., pastor. Divine service Sunday, Feb. 7, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sabbath-school at 9:30 a. m. in the chapel. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor meets every Sunday evening at 7 o'clock in the lecture-room. A cordial invitation and welcome extended to all services.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH—Corner Locust and Beaumont (27th) streets, Rev. J. W. Ford, D. D., pastor. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. Regular morning service at 11 o'clock. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Worthy Walk." The evening service at 7:45 o'clock will be under the direction of the Y. M. C. A. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m. Midweek service, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

SPIRITUALISM—Mr. Moses Hull, the well-known Bible scholar and interpreter, will lecture for the St. Louis Spiritual Association the four Sundays of February at Howard's Hall, cor. Olive st. and Garrison av. To-morrow's subjects will be: Morning, "The Adaptation of Spiritualism to Meet the Wants of Humanity;" and evening, "Nature's Divine Revelation, What It Is and What It Is Not." Services begin at 10:30 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Admission free.

TEMPLE ISRAEL, Twenty-eighth and Pine sts.—Sunday morning services (English) at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject of Rabbi Leon Harrison's discourse: "Will Power, Its Value and Cultivation." All interested are cordially invited to attend.

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Book-keepers.

WANTED—Middle-aged married accountant, experienced cashier, book-keeper and general man desires to submit his references to good house needing such. Address N 86, this office. 36

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COMMERCIAL COLLEGE,
Between Olive and Locust sts., entrance 309 North Broadway. Shorthand, typewriting, telegraphy, etc. Day and night school. 53

Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—Position in real estate office, inside or outside, by young man; willing to start at bottom and work up; first-class references. Add. W 99, this office. 37

WANTED—Situation as collector and driver; has had two years' experience in weekly payment business; can furnish references and bonds. Address R. H., 405 and 407 Franklin av. 37

WANTED—Would like to obtain position as manager for some country store or some position where I can be located; have been traveling some years; 28 years old, married and steady in habits; on road now, but wish to quit traveling; perfect health and a good live salesman; gilt edge references; answer quick. Add. J 4, this office. 37

The Trades.

WANTED—Situation by a middle-aged, sober, reliable man as steel polisher or tool grinder. Address B 5, this office. 38

WANTED—A licensed engineer wants a situation, or any place around machinery where strict attention and sobriety are required; is handy with tools and repairing; steady place wanted more than wages. Address R 4, this office. 38

Coachmen.

WANTED—Sit. by reliable coachman; best city references. Address W 3, this office. 39

WANTED—Situation as coachman by an honest and sober man, willing to make himself useful; has good references. Address S 4, this office. 39

Boys.

WANTED—Situation by a boy of 17 to learn some trade; machinist preferred. Address N 2, this office. 42

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—6 weeks or 2 months work by a general merchandise auctioneer either in or out of city; A 1 refs. Address R 2, this office. 43

WANTED—Situation by a middle-aged man on a farm as foreman; good reference from employer of past four years. Address D 8, this office. 43

WANTED—Any one wishing to employ a young man of 21 speaks good American, Danish, German or Swedish. If so call or address A. Miller, 113 S. 16th st., city. 43

HELP WANTED—MALE.

Book-keepers.

Bryant & Stratton
BUSINESS, SHORTHAND AND TELEGRAPH SCHOOL, OPEN DAY AND NIGHT. Corner Broadway and Market st. Send for circulars 53

Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—A young man with some ability as salesman; salary $18 per week; bring reference. Apply Saturday from 9:30 a. m. to 12, 210 N. 3d st., 4th floor, Jno. A. Power. 54

WANTED—Salesmen on salary or commissions to handle the new patent chemical ink-erasing pencil; the greatest selling novelty ever produced; erases ink thoroughly in two seconds; no abrasion of paper; 200 to 500 per cent profit; one agent's sales amounted to $620 in six days; another $32 in two hours. We want one energetic general agent for each State and territory. For terms and full particulars address the Monroe Eraser Mfg. Co., La Crosse, Wis.

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Hand and Business College. Day and night sessions, 702, 704 and 706 Olive st.

BARNES' SHORTHAND
School, Laclede Building, 406 Olive st.

Stenographers.

WANTED—An expert male stenographer and assistant bookkeeper; references required. Address G 3, this office. 60

The Trades.

WANTED—Core-makers at St. Louis Car Wheel Co., Cabanne st. and Mo. Pac. Ry. 58

WANTED—Retouchers. Apply to J. C. Somerville, 411 and 413 Washington av., at 5:30 this evening. 58

WANTED—A lumber piler who understands grading of white pine and hardwood and can measure lumber. Apply 1502 Market st. 58

MEMBERS of the St. Louis Operative Stonemasons are hereby notified to be present at a meeting of importance at Central Turner Hall, Tuesday, 9th inst., 8 p. m. By order, J. L. McCarthy, President; Patrick J. Costello, Secretary. 58

Laborers.

WANTED—Laborers. Apply at 2800 DeKalb st. 59

WANTED—25 laborers, at quarries, Grand and Chouteau avs., on Monday morning. S Watson. 59

Boys.

WANTED—Two boys. 2564 Sullivan av. 61

WANTED—Boys, at Ette & Henger Mfg. Co., 11th and Hebert st. 61

WANTED—Strong boy to work in kitchen; must sleep at home. 1517 Franklin av. 61

WANTED—A boy who has had some experience in setting type for job work. Vitrey, 108 N. 12th st. 64

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Good hostler. Apply to J. C. Farris, Kirkwood, Mo. 62

WANTED—Gentleman qualified to solicit steam boiler and casualty liability insurance. J. H. Muldoon, 319 N. 3d st. 62

GENTLEMEN out of employment make good earnings soliciting accident ins. H. W. Swacker, city.

WANT ADS must be in before 10 o'clock Saturday night for the Sunday Post-Dispatch to be properly classified.

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Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—Situation by young lady as assistant bookkeeper or office work, any kind; good accountant. M. S., 1718 Olive st. 44

Stenographers.

WANTED—By a young lady of good business experience, position as stenographer; call stenographer. Add. G 97, this office. 45

WANTED—Position by thoroughly competent and experienced lady stenographer, who understands and is willing to assist in office work; best ref. furnished. Add. C 97, this office. 43

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—A lady wishes engagements in sewing; children's clothes a specialty. 2652 Olive st. 48

General Housework.

STOVE REPAIRS.
Castings and repairs for stoves and ranges of every description. A. G. Brauer, 219 Locust st. 48

Cooks, Etc.

WANTED—Situations by two Danish girls; would like a place together, one as cook and one as housegirl; no outside work; good wages expected. Please call Monday at 1026 Papin st. 49

Laundresses.

WANTED—By competent lanndress washing to do at home; can give good reference. Add. O 3, this office. 51

WANTED—Situation by two first-class washwomen (colored) Monday and Tuesday of each week. Address 209 N. 14th st. 51

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Stenographers.

TYPEWRITER copying neatly executed; satisfaction guaranteed; telephone 431. St. Louis Typewriter Exchange, 710 Olive st. 64

Housekeepers.

WANTED—Competent housekeeper. Richelieu Hotel. 65

General Housework.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2704 Morgan st. 66

WANTED—Housegirl; also dining-room girl at 1700 Lucas pl. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 812 N. Cardinal av. 66

WANTED—A good girl for general housework. 3027 Morgan st. 66

WANTED—Good girl for general housework; 3 in family. 1929 Carr st. 66

WANTED—Girl for housework and cooking, two in family. 1512 Cora av. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing. 1729 Chouteau av. 66

WANTED—A girl for general housework; no washing 27 S. Compton av. 66

WANTED—A German girl for general housework; good wages. 2650 Russell av. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework in private family. 3021 Washington av. 66

WANTED—German girl to do light housework in the country. 616 St. Charles st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family; good home. 806 S. 7th st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 2835 Dickson st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 3018 Pine st. 66

WANTED—Young girl to assist in housework; no washing or cooking. 4601 Cook av. 66

WANTED—Competent girl or middle-aged woman for general housework. 2225 Olive st. 66

WANTED—A refined German girl to assist with grown children and do housework. 3737 Pine st. 66

WANTED—Immediately a girl for general housework; small family; good wages, 1835 Chouteau av. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework; no laundry work; 5 adults. Call at once at 3539 Laclede av. 66

WANTED—Good girl, German, for general housework; small family; references required. Apply at 1310 Missouri av. 66

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework for family of two to go to Iowa; must be good cook; good wages to right party; call at once. Room 8, Hurst's Hotel. 66

Laundresses.

WANTED—Head laundress. Richelieu Hotel. 67

WANTED—A good laundress by the week or month, with good references, in first-class family. 1325 Hickory st. 67

Cooks, Etc.

WANTED—A girl to cook and do general housework. 3440 Chestnut st. 68

WANTED—A good strong girl to cook, wash and iron. 4322 West Belle pl. 68

WANTED—A German girl for cooking, washing and ironing. 1600 N. 19th st. 68

WANTED—A young or middle-aged woman for cook; no washing; references required. 3736 Delmar av. 68

WANTED—Good girl to cook, wash and iron and assist in general housework, small family. Apply, with reference, at 2921 Henrietta st. 68

FREE TREATMENT
FOR ALL DISEASES.
Small charge for medicine only; 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. daily and Sunday; consultation private. Separate waiting-room for ladies and children. Dr. Elevard's Central Dispensary. 1323 Franklin av. 69

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—6 girls to work on coats; 2 machine and 4 hand girls. 1519 Clinton st. 69

WANTED—2 experienced girls to sew on vests by hand, machine and button holes. 925 O'Fallon st., 3d floor. 69

Nurses.

WANTED—Small girl to amuse child and assist with other work. 3026 Olive st. 70

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Colored girl for kitchen work. 815 N. 8th st. 71

WANTED—Middleaged woman in family of 2. Apply 1214 Park av. 71

WANTED—Good girl for dining-room and woman to wash dishes. Apply at 2408 N. Broadway. 71

WANTED—Ladies and girls to do our new work for us at home; $3 to $5 per week easily made; no painting or canvassing; send self-addressed envelope. Echo Mfg. Co., 4 Liberty Square, Boston, Mass. 71

LADIES—I will pay ladies a salary of $10 per week to work for me in their locality at home; light work; good pay for part time; write with stamp. Mrs. H. B. Farrington, box 702, Chicago, Ill. 71

INFORMATION WANTED.

THOMAS E. MOORE: Send your address to W. F. Dunlap, care general delivery, Post-office.

WANTED—AGENTS.

WANTED—Agent able to handle canvassers to sell the celebrated Clapp's bread, cake and paring knives; exclusive sale will be given; intend leaving city soon so prompt replies are requested. Room 247 Laclede Hotel, office hours 11 to 12:30 p. m. 73

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE.

REAL ESTATE FOR TRADE.
Unimproved lots in East St. Louis, near Malleable Iron-works, dwellings, saloon buildings, etc., either encumbered or unencumbered; East St. Louis real estate for trade. Will take merchandise, farms or horses in trade. Apply, between 9 a. m. and 3 p. m., at office, 302 Broadway, East St. Louis. W. Millentine. 24

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

WANTED—Three or four rooms, suitably furnished for light housekeeping, by parties without children; must be between Jefferson and Grand, Laclede and Franklin av.; if in private house must have water; flats preferred; references exchanged. Address S 3, this office. 21

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

WANTED—Large size second-hand safe; must be in good condition; state price and where it can be seen. Address N 3, this office. 20

PERSONAL.

Advertisements under the head of "Personal" are received subject to revision or rejection entirely. The money paid for rejected advertisements will be refunded when address is given, or by calling at this office with ticket. Advertisements in this column not of a business nature, of two lines and over, FIFTEEN cents per line.

PERSONAL—Come Saturday evening sure. Will. 1

PERSONAL—Phillis: Your postal in answer to O 94 in Monday's paper received, I waited at the store but did not see you. Make another appointment somewhere else, describe how I may recognize you, and state where a letter will reach you. Add. O 5, this office.

PERSONAL—Persons intending getting married soon can learn something to their benefit by addressing K 4, this office. 74

PERSONAL SUNDRIES.

ALL kinds of stoves, ranges and furnaces repaired. Condon Bros., 11th and Market sts. 74

BATHS—Mrs. S. Shaw, 1124 Pine st., massage treatment, bay rum and alcohol rubbings; professional attendants; lady operators. 74

BATHS of all kinds; sea salt baths; medicated alcohol, bay rum, rubbing, massage and magnetic treatment. Miss Wright, 502 Pine st. 74

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DR. LOTTA REINER, regular graduate of two colleges; female complaints treated successfully; ladies received during confinement; business confidential; charges reasonable. 120 S. 14th st. 74

GENUINE Massage treatment given by Mrs. C. Ames of Omaha; please call 26 S. 16th st. 74

HIGHEST prices paid for cast-off clothing. Call or address N. Jacobs, 318 Locust st. 74

HIGHEST cash price paid for old gold and silver. Call or send to Hy. Loewenstein, 1609 S. Broadway. 74

MRS. MABEL EDWARDS gives massage, magnetic and electric treatment. 2217 Market st. 74

MRS. L. MASSOCK, ladies' physician; ladies boarded during confinement. 1000 Chouteau av.

MRS. L. HOTSON, midwife; recs. ladies during confinement; reas. rates; ladies in trouble call. 2305 Market.

MRS. DR. ARTHUR, doctor of midwifery, receives ladies in con.; 1st-class accom. at reas. terms; ladies in trouble call at 2603 Wash st.; strictly con.

MRS. J. SONNEN, graduate midwife, receives ladies during confinement; first-class accommodations at reasonable prices; strictly confidential. Call or write 1031 Park av.; take U. D. cars south. 74

MRS. DR. M. DOSSEN, the world renowned female specialist; 25 years practical experience; skillfully treats and cures all female complaints with great success; call or write. 1006 Chouteau av., St. Louis, Mo. 74

PROF. LAROGE—Nervous, mental, rheumatic cases cured by vital magnetism. 807 N. 15th st. 74

PERSONAL—Dr. X. Stone, M. D., is a Doctor. If you have Throat or Lung trouble of any kind, use his Bronchial Wafers. 25c. a box at druggists. Special rate to Preachers, Teachers, Vocalists. For samples send 10 cents to STONE MED. CO., Chicago, Ill. 74

1,000 BUSINESS CARDS for $1. H. B. Crole & Co., 815 Locust, printers; send for estimates

1,000 FINE walnut 8-day strike and alarm clocks, $3 to $13; at Dunn's, 1006 Olive.

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Ladies who expect their confinement can be accommodated and find perfect seclusion. Female diseases a specialty.
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A. FUEGER, 311 Walnut st.
Half block west of Southern Hotel. 74

WATSON'S DETECTIVE SERVICE CO.,
216 N. 8TH ST., ROOMS 11 AND 12.
Connections all over America and Europe. Evidence collected. Shadows furnished. Investigations on all subjects conducted carefully, cheaply and secretly. Correspondence solicited. P. O. Box 443. WM. WATSON, Manager.

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LOST—A diamond screw ear ring. Finder returning it to 1310 Hickory st. will be liberally rewarded. 30

LOST—White dog with yellow head and short tail; had collar. Return to Laclede Hotel Bar and receive reward. 30

LOST—One bay horse, 15 hands high, white tip on nose. Finder will please return to 2602 Elliot av. and receive reward. 30

LOST—Feb. 4, on 4th st. cable cars, natural wood handle umbrella; finder will please return same to G. W., 905 Hickory st., and get reward. 30

$5 REWARD—Strayed from 2930 Dickson st., a young brown Newfoundland dog. 30

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

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COAL—25 bushels, $2.50; by the large load, 90c per bu. 707 S. Carroll, 2806 Franklin av.; send postal or telephone 2984.

FOR SALE—Contents of nicely furnished 4-room flat at a bargain. 1724 N. Grand av. 5

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Will buy your furniture, carpets and stoves at Boylan's, 1117 Olive st.; lowest price house in the city.

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FOR SALE—Largest stock new and second hand buggies, wagons, carriages, harness of all kinds. Northwestern Buggy Co., 1112 N. Broadway. 12

FOR SALE—At cost, one elegant surrey, one high grade three-quarter buggy, one handsome phaeton. D. M. Osborne & Co., 22d and Gratiot sts. 12

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FOR SALE—Wine and beer saloon. 2319 S. Broadway. 4

FOR SALE—Cigar store, with fixtures. 506 N. 12th st. 4

FOR SALE—An umbrella store, cheap; best location in the city. Address E 3, this office. 4

FOR SALE—Confectionery and notion with oyster and ice-cream parlor; living rooms. 1933 Franklin av. 4

FOR SALE—Newly furnished rooming-house; 11 rooms, bath and laundry; paying $80; rent, $40. Address F 99, this office. 4

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**THE FIDEL

o'clock sail at 90½c, 10 cars regular, 1 in U., 1 car and 2,000 bu E. side and 2,000 bu in St. L. at 91c. No. 3 red—1 car this side and 2 in C. at 87½c, 3 East side at 87½c. No. 4 winter—1 car in F. at 82c. Rejected winter—1 car E. side at 71½c. No. 2 spring—5 cars this side at 81c.

SAMPLES—Receipts, 27 cars and 83 sks. Offerings very light and a good active demand, particularly for the better grades: Nos. 2 and 3 very scarce and wanted. Sales: Special bin—1 car rejected spring smutty at 71½; 1 car rejected winter at 77c, 1 do at 79c, 1 do at 80c, 2 do at 81c, 1 No. 3 red at 89c, 5,000 bu at 89½c, 1 do at 90c. Track E side—1 car rejected winter at 85c, 1 do at 82c, 7 No. 2 spring at 81½c, 2 sacks—122 rejected at 89c, 250 No. 3 red at 89c.

Corn—The fluctuations in wheat marked out the course for corn to follow. Nothing particularly else turned up to influence values. Receipts were still large and mainly for through shipment. Exports from the seaboard much smaller—183,000 bu from three points, Liverpool was 1½d higher, according to the first cable, and held up by the closing. Nearly all the trading was in May, which opened ½c up, declined ⅝c, advanced ⅜c, weakened off 1⅛c and closed ⅝c below yesterday.

FUTURES—Feb. and March both sold at 37⅜c and at close Feb. offered at 37½c. May opened at 39⅝c and sold to 38⅞c to 39⅝c to 38¾c and closed at 38½c. No. 2 white offered at 42½c, bid 42¾c.

SPOT GRADES—Higher, but the demand showed no improvement. The local and order requirements were moderate, and the only buyers of the contract grade were speculative. No. 2 sold ⅛c higher, at 37⅝@37¾c, but most sales at 37⅞c regular, 37¾c E. side. No. 3 E. side brought 36¾c (4c higher), but this side not readily salable above 35½c. No. 2 white 1c higher this side at 41c and E. side sold at 40½c. For No. 3 white this side 39c bid. No. 4 offered at 37½c, bid 32c.

Sales: No. 2—17 cars regular at 37⅛c, 10 E. side and 12 regular at 37¾c. No. 3—5 cars in St. L. at 35½c, 1 do at 35¾c, 15 E. side at 36c. No. 2 white—1 car E. side at 40½c, 1 this side at 41c.

SAMPLES—Higher. Sales: 1 car white car trk this at 40c. Skd lots on orders, 44@46c.

Oats—This was the only market where the speculative option did not improve, even an advance in cash having no effect, and the close saw sellers ⅛@¼ lower yesterday. May sold at 31½c to 31¾c and at close offered at 31⅝@31¾c.

SPOT GRADES—Higher. Sales: No. 2—1 car in M. at 30½c, 1 E. side and 1 regular at 31c, with 31c bid for more regular. No. 3 white offered at 27½c, no bid. Bid 29c for No. 3 and 29½c for No. 3 white.

SAMPLES—For the mixed grades there was an active inquiry, especially for No. 2, which sold fully 1c higher with the demand not supplied at the advance. No. 3 did not sell. The few cars offered were held above the views of buyers and were carried over. The white and color grades showed sympathy with the mixed and was held at an advance. Buyers, unless compelled to have stock to meet their immediate wants, were slow to pay the advance and this largely restricted trading. This, however, in no way affected holders and receivers, all holding on to their offerings, and showing no disposition to make any concessions in order to make sales. No. 2 sold at 31c, an advance of 1c. No. 3 did not sell, the offerings being generally held above buyers' views. No. 2 white brought 31½c, and No. 3 white 31@31½c, according to quality of offerings. Northern mixed was salable at 31@31½c. Sales: Special bin this side—1 car poor No. 3 white at 30c, 2 do, 2 No. 2, and 2 Northern mixed at 31c, 1 No. 2 white, 1 No. 3 white and 2 Northern mixed at 31½c. East track—1 car No. 3 mixed at 31c. Sacked lots on orders, 35@37c.

Rye—Dull. A car No. 3 sold this side at 71½c; for E. side 72c, No. 2 not offered and 78c bid E. side, 76½c for U.

Barley—Dull. Very little disposition to purchase, as brewers are getting enough on contract deliveries to meet requirements. Buyers show no inclination to bid for lots to arrive. The only sale reported was 1 car Minnesota at 55c.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 6.—Barley quiet. Cash, 56½c; March, 57c.

Flour and Feed.

Flour—Holders raised their views some on the bulge in wheat, but buyers took off and very little done, sales: In sacks—90 sks Extra Fancy.....
$2.75 per bbl; 1 car at $2.75 to $3, 1 car at $3.15, 80 sks extra mixed at $3.50@4. In barrels 1 car at $3.10, 80 sks at $3.60@4, 125 at $4.10, 50 at $4.15, 150 at $4.40, 750 bbls and 4 cars on p. s.

Patents	4 35@4 45
Extra Fancy	4 05@4 15
Fancy	3 70@3 80
Choice	2 30@3 40
Family	3 15@3 20

These prices are for lots at depot or on levee. On orders for shipment higher—according to grade and brand.

Rye Flour—Pure jobbing at $4.65@4.75 per bbl. Sale, 1 car on p. s.

Buckwheat Flour—Jobbing at $5 ₱ bbl.

Corn Meal—Holders firm. City meal on orders, $2.15@2.20 per bbl deld. Hominy, pearl and grits $2.60@2.90.

Bran—Scarce and firm, at mill skd lots sold at 70c. East track 1 car sold at 70c, and on direct orders at country point 2 cars skd bran at 71c and 1 middling at 84c.

Hay.

Receipts, 479 tons; shipments, 67 tons. There was the usual light Saturday's demand, causing a quiet market. The light trading was almost entirely confined to the choice grades, there being about unchanged prices. Sales this side—1 car mixed at $8. Timothy—2 cars choice at $10, 2 about fancy at $11, 6 fancy at $11.50, 2 strictly do at $12, 4 do large bales pressed at $12.50, 1 gilt edge large bales loose pressed at $13. Prairie—1 car choice at $8.50, 1 do at $9, 1 do at $9.50. East side—1 car clover at $10.50, 2 mixed do at $10.50, 1 fancy timothy at $11.

Provisions.

Firmer; holders firm and asking higher prices, but buyers were not willing to meet their views, and consequently very little was done outside of a few order demand for bacon. Fully cured cribs offered at $5.90 cash, and $5.95 for March. Sales: 100 Boxes shoulders, 7c; 100 do and 1 car loose clears p. s., 2 cars 35 day cribs 46 lbs average at $5.90 and 2 cars fully cured cribs 35 lbs average at 6c c. and f.

ON THE CALL—Dry salt—Cribs, 5.75c bid; March offered at 5.95c, bid 5.85c; May offered at 6.10c, bid 6.07½c.

Bacon c'rib—Feb. offered at 6 40c; March offered at 6.42½c, bid 6.30c; May offered at 6.55c, bid 6.47½c.

Pork—Standard mess jobbing at $9.25 for old and $11.00@12 for new. On orders, $10 for old and $12.25, according to brand, for new.

Lard—Prime steam, 6.15c this side and 6.25c @6.30c E. side. On orders, tcs, refined, 5½c; leaf, 7½c.

Country Lard—Salable at 5@5½c.

Dry Salt Meats—Shipping agcf. ₱ lb, on cash orders—Shoulders, 5½c; ribs, 5.85c; clears, 5.85c; shorts, 6.05c; boxed, 15c higher. On orders—Boxed shoulders, 5c; longs, 6¾c; c'ribs, 6¼c; shorts 6¾c.

Bacon—Packed shoulders at 5¾c, longs at 6.45@6.50c, c'ribs at 6.45@6.50c, shorts at 6¾c. On orders—Shoulders, 6¼c; longs, 7c; c'ribs, 7c; short clear, 7¾c.

Country Bacon—In demand and firm; shoulders, 6½@6¾c; clear sides, 7½c; hams, 7@7½c.

Green Hams—From the block, 7¾c; bellies, 6½c; shoulders, 4½c.

Hams—Sugar-cured, 9@10½c, as to size and brand; on orders, 9¾@11c, according to brand, size of ham and size of order.

Breakfast Bacon—8@9c ₱ lb. On orders, 8@9c, according to brand.

Beef—Firm, dull and rolled, $9 per bbl. Dried, 9@9½c, and selected, 11c ₱ lb. On orders—Mess beef, 9@11 per bbl, according to brand. Smoked beef tongues, $4 per doz; on orders, $4.50@4.75.

Highwines—Steady at $1.14 in St. Louis, Chicago, Cincinnati and Peoria.

Lead and Spelter.

Lead—Steady at the recent decline, 150 tons various brands selling for Feb. at $3.85.

Spelter—Quiet at 4.35c.

Commercial Board.

Wheat—Lower. Sales: May—100 at 92¾c, 10 at 92⅝@92¾c, 5 at 92¾c, 20 at 92⅝@92¾c, 20 at 92⅝@92¾c. Puts, 92¾@92¾c to 91⅝@c; calls, 93⅛@93½c to 93¾c, July—5 at 87½c.

Corn—Weaker. Sales—May—5 at 38⅛c, 5 at 38⅜c, 10 at 38⅝c, 10 at 39¼c. Puts, 39¼c to 39c; calls, 39¾c to 39¼c.

Chicago—May wheat 91⅝c. Puts, 90¼c to 90½c; calls, 93¾c to 93¾c.

ON THE STREET.

[The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise stated. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.]

Fruits.

Apples—Received, 800 bbls; shipped, 368 bbls. There is a temporary scarcity of apples just now owing to the fact that the railroads are moving the fruit very slowly. It is claimed that some 10 or 15 cars from the East are overdue and ample supplies are looked for next week. The market is very firm, and the light offerings are meeting with ready sales. Eastern fruit ranges from $2.10@2.30 per bbl for Baldwin to $1.75@2 for Greenings. Repacked Western at $2.35@2.75 for Ben Davis and Winesap to $1.75@2.00 for Gravelling. No other varieties offered. Damaged and inferior fruit selling at $1.50@1.60 per bbl. Sales: 1 car Baldwin and other red varieties at $2.25.

Oranges—A fair demand for repacked well known brands. Consigned offerings of unknown brands selling fairly well at 25@50c per box in lots, but lower in original packages. For repacked stock on orders we quote:

Mexican, ₱ box	$2 25@2 50
Florida, extra large	2 25@2 50
Florida brights, ₱ box	2 00@2 25
Florida russets, ₱ box	2 00
California navels	3 50@4 00
California riversides	2 25@2 50
Messina, 300 size, ₱ box	2 25@2 50
Messina, 200 size, ₱ box	2 00@2 25

Strawberries—Light offerings and an urgent demand at 75c@$1 per quart.

Grapes—The offerings were very light, but fully ample for the demand. Eastern Catawbas selling in a small way at 35@40c per 9-lb basket.

Grape Fruit—The offerings were not large and the demand was fair at $2.50@3 per box.

California Fruits—Fair offerings of pears, for which the demand was good at $2.50@2.75 per 40-lb case.

Almeria Grapes—Fair demand and offerings.

Fair grade, ₱ bbl	$6 50@7 00
Choice, ₱ bbl	7 50@8 00
Fancy, ₱ bbl	9 00@10 00
Extra fancy, highly tinted, ₱ bbl	12 00

Lemons—Large offerings and good demand at unchanged prices. We quote:

Messina and Palermo, good, ₱ box	$4 00@4 50
Messina and Palermo, fancy, ₱ box	4 50@5 00

Pine Apples—The offerings were fair and exceptionally fine. Demand good at $3.50@4 ₱ doz.

Bananas—Fancy bunches are billed out on orders at 1½@2.25 and choice at $1.50@1.75.

Cocoanuts—On orders, $5.50 ₱ 100.

Dates—Persian—Hallowe'en in boxes, sell at 5c; bar at 4½c ₱ lb; Fard, 6-2 boxes, 6c; 10-lb boxes, 5c.

Figs—Fair offerings and demand. Bags were sold at 9@9½c; layers, in ½ and 10-lb boxes, 12c to 16c; baskets, 4-6c 12c ₱ lb and cvals $4.50 ₱ 100.

Cranberries—The market is dull. Sales from first hands range at $3 to $6 ₱ bbl, and at $1 to $2 ₱ box, according to quality. Fancy selected, on orders, higher.

Dried Fruit—There is no animation to the market at present. Buyers show no great disposition to purchase, but the light current offerings are selling at steady rates, as follows:

Apples, sun-dried quarters	3@3½
Apples, evaporated rings	4½@5
Apples, evaporated quarters and sliced	4½@5
Apples, chopped	1½
Apples, peelings and cores	1½
Peaches, sun-dried	2@2½
Peaches, unpeeled, evaporated	2½@3
Peaches, peeled, evaporated	4½@5
Raspberries	15

Nuts.

Pecans—Not much doing. Demand fair and supplies steady. Western at 5@6½c per lb; Texas at 6@8½c.

Peanuts—Tennessee stock dull; as dealers claim that they yield an unusual small percentage of choice nuts when being hand-picked and cleaned. Quotable at 2@2½c ₱ lb for common to 2½@3c for choice; choice recleaned worth more.

Hickory Nuts—Out of season and nominal at 25c ₱ bu.

Walnuts—Quotable at 25c ₱ bu.

Filberts—Quotable at 2@2½c ₱ bu.

Foreign Nuts—Almonds, Tarragona, 16c; California, 15c; Silberts, 12c; Brazil nuts, 7c; Italian chestnuts, 8@10c; Naples walnuts, 11c ₱ lb.

Eggs.

Received, 495 cases; shipped, 36 cases. Sharply lower and very unsettled. As noted for some days past the demand was only of a jobbing character, and as there was some increase in the offerings, sellers were anxious to dispose of the little stock on hand. The market closed with sales at 24c, and more offered at 25c ₱ doz.

Vegetables.

Potatoes—Received, 11,727 bu; shipped, 2,986 bu. The market holds about steady, but offerings are increasing and run a little ahead of the wants. Choice rose and peerless are in best demand, other being wanted in the South for seed, but burbank and other good selling varieties are also meeting with a fair inquiry. Consumers, Iowa stock ranges from 28@30c per bu for fluke and peachblows to 32@35c for peerless and other good varieties. Minnesota and Wisconsin at 35@37c for fair stock to 38@40c for burbank and 40@42c (del.) for rose and peerless. About 2 cars Northern sold within the range given.

Onions—Received, 2,913 bu; shipped, 696 bu. The supply is ample to the moderate wants, and the market rules steady at unchanged rates. The range is from 75@80c per bu for fair stock, 85@90c for choice and 95@$1 for fancy globe. Frosted, small and otherwise inferior stock ranges at 50@65c per bu. Imported (Spanish) sell highly at $1.25 per crate.

Cabbages—Large offerings, with the arrivals showing a decided improvement in condition, but the demand was good, all unfrosted meeting ready sale at slightly lower prices. Frosted was not wanted, owing to the increased offerings of good stock selling so freely. We quote—Choice unfrosted at $20, and frosted at $12 to $15 per ton, according to condition. On orders the billing price was $2.75@3 for green and $2.25@2.50 per bbl. for red.

Celery—Fair offerings and a good demand. Choice and fancy was saleable at 75c@$1 per doz, while poor and inferior found slow sale at 40@50c per doz.

Cauliflower—Light offerings and fair demand at $4.50@5 per doz.

Egg Plant—For the little offering there was a fair demand at $2.50@3 ₱ dozen.

Sweet Potatoes—Light supplies, with a moderate good demand at $2.75 for red and $2.25 for yellow ₱ bbl on orders.

Cucumbers—Very little demand; selling in a small way at $1.75 ₱ doz.

New Potatoes—Salable at $1.50 ₱ ½-bu box.

Lettuce—Light deliveries and good demand at $1@1.25 per box on orders.

Rutabagas—Steady. Michigan, 30c ₱ bu, bulk and del. On orders, $1.25 ₱ bbl.

Radishes—Salable on orders at 30c ₱ doz.

Horseradish—Good demand for selected stock at $4.50@5 per bbl of 100 lbs net weight on orders.

Parsnips—Light demand at 50c for washed and $1.50 for consigned per bbl on orders.

Squash—White summer, salable at 40@50 per doz.

Pie Plant—Fair offerings and demand at 50@75c per doz.

Spinach—Light offerings with a fair demand at $2 @2.25 ₱ bbl for Southern on orders.

Kale—Fair offerings and demand at $2@2.25 ₱ bbl on orders.

Soup Bunches—On orders, 40@50c ₱ doz.

Turnips—Quiet. Home-grown salable in a small way at 75c ₱ bbl.

New Southern Tomatoes—Light offerings and demand at 30@75c ₱ 4-lb box; 50@75c for Havana; West India, $1@1.25 ₱ peck box.

New String Beans—Light receipts' good demand at $3 ₱ box.

New Asparagus—On orders, $1.25@3.00 ₱ doz., according to quality.

Water Cress—Light offerings and good demand at 50c ₱ doz bunches.

Beets—Fair demand at $1.50 ₱ bbl, with offerings fairly ample.

Butter and Cheese.

Butter—Notwithstanding that prices were reduced early in the week, buyers, as a rule, have shown no more interest, taking goods only as needed for current use, and trade has been rather dull for nearly all descriptions. The market has been in favor of buyers, and the demand from all sources was at first disposed to show some disinclination to sell and named lower prices in the hope of keeping stock moving. Supplies are not large, but with the limited demand for choice to do 25@30c. Castor more than ample, and there has been a slight accumulation during the week. Sales ranged:

Creamery, fancy near-by, Neb., Io. and Wis.	29
Creamery, seconds or gathered cream stock	24@26
Dairy, fancy	25@26
Dairy, firsts	22@23
Dairy, seconds	15@18
Ladle packed, fancy	20@21
Ladle packed, common	16@18
Roll, choice Northern	17@18
Roll, near-by country stock, fair to choice	12@15
Country stock in pails	12@15
Very poor grease stock	3@ 5

Cheese—Trade is fair and values firm and showing an upward tendency. The market is in a most healthy and satisfactory condition. There is no disposition to hurry sales, as dealers see their way clear to closing out before the spring make shall come in. Wisconsin full cream—Twins, 12½c; Cheddars, 12¾c; Young America, 13¼c; Southern Wisconsin and Western, 10¾@11½c; skims and near-by make 7@9c; exact grades, 8@9c. Brick, 12@12½c. Limburger 12c; 12½c. Swiss—Choice, 13@14c; No. 2, 10@11c; low grade, 6@8c.

Poultry and Game.

Dressed Poultry—There was a right good demand for desirable poultry of all kinds, and such met with ready sale at full prices. Choice fat chickens and small to medium-sized turkeys were ready sale, but the offerings were principally of large, poor and rough stock, for which there was only an indifferent demand. Choice fat ducks and geese were salable with poor, rough and rank ones selling dull. Poultry contaning eggs or eggs with head and legs attached sells 1@2c lower than properly dressed stock. One lot of 17 bbls of picked turkeys and hens and geese on sold at 11c ₱ lb.

Turkeys, small to medium sized	12@13
Turkeys, large gobblers	10@11
Chickens, choice small	6 @ 8
Chickens, large and rough	6 @ 7
Ducks	9 @11
Geese, choice fat	6 @ 7
Geese, red, rough and poor	4 @ 5

Live Poultry—The offerings were only fair and the demand very good at steady rates. Small chickens and turkeys and fat ducks were in active demand. Plucked geese sold slowly, while there was a fair call for feathered. Reports from the country state that the supply of all kinds of poultry is very light for this time of the year, which to some extent accounts for the light receipts of late.

Chickens, mixed old and young	5@6
Chickens, old roosters	4½
Chickens, spring	14 @15
Turkeys	8 @ 9
Ducks	8 @ 9
Geese	4½@5

Game—The receipts of rabbits this morning were not large and consisted largely of old and hard stock which was generally sold at first offer. Fresh receipts were even selling slowly at lower prices. Snipe, ducks and turkeys were in light offering, but about ample for the demand. We quote:

Snipe	$1 75
Mallard ducks, undrawn	3 50
Mallard ducks, drawn	3 00
Teal ducks	2 50
Mixed ducks	1 75
Wild turkeys, toms, ₱ lb	8
Wild turkeys, hens, ₱ lb	8
Mediums	3½
Woodcock	5 00
Live pigeons and squabs	1 25
Kansas rabbits	30
Indiana rabbits	20
Illinois and Missouri rabbits	40
Jack rabbits, ₱ doz	1 75
Squirrels, ₱ doz	40@ 50
Opossum, each	5@ 20

Live Veals—Light offerings and good demand for choice veals small. Fed milk-fed, which sold readily at 5½c; a fair movement of medium stock at 4½c; heavies, rough and thin, 2½@3½c ₱ lb.

Dressed Veals—Light offerings and demand fair at 5@6c ₱ lb, the latter for fancy.

Roasting Pigs—In fair demand at 75c@$1.25.

Dressed Hogs—The offerings were light, but met with ready sale at 4½@4¾c ₱ lb.

Sheep—Light offerings and fair demand at 3½@4c for sheep and 4½@5c for lambs.

Seeds and Castor Beans.

[Flaxseed and castor beans are sold subject to inspection and inspector's weight.]

Grass Seeds—Steady. Demand fair for prime seeds of all kind. Clover quotable at $4.50@5.10; timothy at $1.10@1.25; red top at 25@35c; German millet at 50@60c; Hungarian at 40@50c. Sales: Clover—16 sks at $4.80, 12 at $4.90, 9 at $5.10, 10 at $5.15, 2 at $5.15, 2 and 13 on p. t. Timothy—1 car on p. t.

Hemp Seed—Quotable at $1.40 on basis of pure.

Flax Seed—Higher. Sales: 2 cars at 94c, 15 sks at 86c.

Castor Beans—Dull at $1.70 for prime.

Stock Feed—Clay quotable at $1.15. Whip-poor-will at $1.15, black eye at $1.40.

Onion Sets—On orders, red, $3.75 per bu; white, $4.25.

Hides, Feathers, Pelts, Etc.

Hides—Receipts of green running long-haired and grubby, and ruling weak on that account. Dry flints unchanged.

Green salted, No. 1 cured	5
Green salted, No. 2 and bulls	4
Uncured and part cured hides less	
Dry flint, No. 1 and skins	7½
Dry flint, bulls	5
Dry salted, No. 1 and skins	5½
Dry salted, No. 2, skins and bulls	4
Glue stock, green salted dry	3 @4
Glue stock, dry flint	4½@5½
Round, green salted	3 @3½
Round, dry flint, light to heavy	4
Round, dry, culls and glue stock	2

Feathers—Steady and the demand very good, as follows:

Prime live geese, large sacks, 42c; small sacks, 44c; quilly, damp and unripe, 32@36c; prime grey,	

32c. Old X, 35@37c; XX, 27@29c; XXX, 18@20c. Duck, white, 35c; dark, 25c. Turkey, body, spoiling, 21c; tail, 23c, wing and tail mixed, 20c; pointers, 4c. Thru, 3 to 10 per cent.

Sheep Pelts—Grease, lambs full-wooled, $1@1.10; medium-sized or fairly-wooled, 75@90c; lambs or short-wooled, 40@60c. Shearlings, 20@40c. Dry skins, 10@20c less. Dry fallen skins, 11@12c ₱ lb.

Deerskins, Etc.—Firm. Prime flint, 36c; southern Texas and Mexican mountain, 23@24c; damaged, dusty or green, and otherwise inferior, half price; antelope, 17c; goat, 15@20c. Glue stock worthless.

Tallow—Easy. Prime country stock in oil bbls, 4½c ₱ lb. No. 2, 3½@4c; choice cake, 4½@4¾c.

Grease—Brown, 2½@3c; yellow, 3½@3¾c; white, 3¾@4c. These prices are for small country lots in irregular packages.

Beeswax—Prime, 26c; adulterated and burnt, half price and less.

Roots—Ginseng, $2.35@2.65; seneca, 24@26c; snake, 18c; goldan seal, 14@16c; mayapple, 1½@2c; blue flag, 2c; pink, 1½@1½c; blood, 10@12c; bittersweet bark, 5@6c; golden thread, 15c; lady slipper, 6c; black, 3@4c; angelica, 5@6c; wahoo, bark of tree, 5c; bark of root, 9@10c.

Wool.

Received, 6,580 lbs; shipped, 35,000 lbs. The movement in Territory wools in all principal markets shows a decided increase, owing principally to a disposition on part of holders to accept best offers. The coarser grades of bright stock sell most readily, and there is a fair demand for light spring and fall Texas, but other grades are rather quiet. Tub-washed continues in good demand. At the London sales the fancy grades of Australian continue very firm, due largely to American competition. Over 250,000 bls have been bought there up to date for the United States.

UNWASHED—STATES AND TERRITORIES.	Bright medium	Braid to coarse	Low sandy.
Mor. Ill., Ark., etc	22 @22½	19@20	16@ 18
Kansas and Nebraska	19 @20	15@16	11@ 15
Texas and Ind. T. 8 to 12 mo	22 @22½	18@19	15@ 17
dian Ter. 4 to 6 mo	19 @20	14@15	11@ 13
Colo., Utah, New Mex., etc	19 @20	16@17	13@ 15
Montana, Wyoming, etc	20 @21	17@18	15@ 16

UNWASHED—STATES AND TERRITORIES.	FINE. Light.	Heavy.
Missouri, Illinois, Arkansas, etc	20 @21	16 @18
Kansas and Nebraska	16 @17	13 @15
Texas and Indian 8 to 12 mo	19 @20	15 @18
Territory, 4 to 6 mo	17 @20	13 @16
Colo., Utah, New Mex., etc	17 @18	14 @16
Montana, Wyoming, etc	18 @19	15 @17

Tub—Choice, 32@32½c; inferior, 25@30c. All black wools, 3@4c off. Sacks—Texas, 3-lb tare, 10c; regular long sacks, 3lb tare, 15c. Burry, cotted, etc., slightly, 3@4c off; moderately, 4@5c off. Hard burry, etc.—18c per lb for Southern to 15c for Missouri and similar stock.

Furs.

The market rules steady. Most kinds meet with ready sale at assorted prices. Beaver and muskrat rule dull.

	No. 1 Large.	No. 1 Med.	No. 2.	No. 3.	No. 4.
Raccoon	55	45	35	20	10
Mink	90	60	40	20	10
Fox, red	90	75	50	30	15
Fox, gray	75	60	40	25	10
Otter	6 00	5 00	3 50	2 00	75
Beaver	5 00	4 50	3 50	2 00	75
Bear	10 00	7 50	5 00	2 50	75
Civet, brairie	80	60	40	20	10
Wolf, timber	2 00	1 25	75	40	15
Coyote		50	35	20	10
Badger	75	60	40	20	15

Skunk, black, prime	80	Civet cat	5@15
Short stripe, prime	60	Opossum (trash out)	1@2
Narrow stripe, br's	35	Muskrat	5@10
Broad stripe & white	15	Wildcat	10@35
Territory, round	25@40	House cat	10

Northern range, 10@15 per cent higher and extreme Southern, 15@25 per cent lower. For open mink, fox, otter, skunk, civet cat, opossum and muskrat, 10@15 per cent is deducted; others are preferred open. All scabs are worthless, as are also ground hog, rabbit and squirrel skins.

Miscellaneous Markets.

Broom Corn—Firm, but quiet. Supplies light and about all in hands of dealers. Quotable from 4@5c per ₱ lb for common, 6@7c for choice; fancy hurl more and damaged and crooked less.

Popcorn—Mixed, 4c ₱ lb; white, 1c; rice, 1½c. Mouse—Dirty to fair, 1@1½c; good to choice, 2c; and brown mixed 2½@3c; gray, 2@2½c; country machine packed—XXXX, 6c; XXX, 5½c; XX, 4½c; X, 4@4½c.

Scrap Iron and Metal—Wrought, 70c; heavy, cast, trimmings, plow and steel, 40c; stove plate, 30c; malleable and light, 20c. Brass—Heavy, yellow, 6c; light, 6½c; copper, 8½c; lead, 3½c; zinc, 2½c; pewter, 9c.

Hemp—Missouri undressed nominal at $70@80 ₱ ton.

White Beans—Country lots range from 75c for fair to $1.25 for the best. Hand-picked Eastern job for $1.25@1.35, and fair at 75c@1 per bu.

Oil—Linseed oil—Raw, 35c; boiled, 36c. Castor oil—No. 1, 1½c. Cottonseed oil—Summer yellow, 35c; white, 36c; winter yellow, 39c; white, 40c. Turpentine, 30c.

Dried Green Fruit—Selling at $1.35@1.40 ₱ bu.

Rags, Etc.—Country mixed rags, 75c@$1; old rubber, $2.25; old rope, $1.75 for No. 1 and 75c for No. 2.

Bones—Half-green slaughter-house, $8@10; junk bones, $12@13; clean and dry, $15; dry packing, bleached, $12@13; clean and dry half-bleached, $15; bleached, $17 ₱ ton.

Tankage—Dull at fair near-by sells at 12@14c, inferior and broken at 8@10c, choice Northern white clover at 16@18c. Extracted and strained at 4½@ 5c. Bone meal, $28@30 in cans.

Sorghum—Prime quotable at 26c per gal.

Cider—Quotable at $4.25@4.75 ₱ bbl.

Soda—Bicarbonate, 6½c; carbonate, 2¼c; per-barrels, 3c; bbl, 8c; 4-bu, 9c; 5-bu, 9½c; 6-bu, 10c; 7-bu, 10½c. Cotton seamless, 12@20c. Flour, 48-5 sks, $2.50; 24-5 sks, $2.60; 140 sks, $2.70; 24-½ sks, $2.80; 11c. Wool, 50@35c.

Baling stuff—Barging, 1½-lb, 5½c; 1¾-lb, 6½c; 2-lb, 6¾c; 2¼-lb, 7¼c. Hemp twine, 10c. Iron cotton ties, $1.20@1.25.

Empty Barrels—Coal oil, 65c; car lots, 60c; lard oil, 65c; linseed oil, 65c; black oil, 50c; vinegar, 60c; molasses, 80c; whisky, iron hoop, 65c; wood hoop, 40c; half barrels, iron hoop, 50c.

Salt—Domestic, 95c ₱ bbl this side and 90c East side.

Cooperstuffs—Shaved hoops, hoosier flour bbls, $3.50@4; cooper flour bbls, $4.50@5; flour half-bbls, $2.50@2.75. Pork bbls—Oak, $7@8; hickory, $8@9. Lard tierces—Oak, $3@3.50; hickory, $4@4.50. Sugar bbl, $6.50; culls or seconds, $4@4.50; beer kegs, $1@2; lard tcs, $2; pork bbls, $16. Heading—Flour bbls, 4½c; set.

Cooperage—Flour bbls, round hoops, 32c; flat hoops, 28c; half-bbls, 22½c; produce bbls, 23c; meal bbls, 25c; pork bbls, 32c; half-bbls, 70c; lard tcs, $1; half tcs, 95c; kegs, 25c.

Commercial Notes.

New York reported that Marseilles sent buying orders for wheat.

Weather cloudy; 41 deg. at 12 o'clock. Local forecast: Rain; warmer.

The bomb exploded under the Anarchistic shorts themselves yesterday.

Foreign cables were free sellers of wheat in New York to-day, but more for English account than for the Continent.

Any one who can figure out of the wheat market any more than an oversold market and a short scare is a good figurer.

The Liverpool Corn Trade News is improving in its estimates of the world's shipments of wheat. Its latest figures were only 520,000 bu out of the way.

A decrease of 100,000 bu is probable in the local stock of wheat for week and 400,000 bu increase in corn. A year ago the decrease was 90,000 bu in wheat and 52,000 bu in corn.

In answer to a request of how much damage to the French wheat crop there had been, Abel Rey of Paris cabled: "Few late-sown fields frozen. Northwest districts damage easily repairable. General prospect favorable."

Bradstreet's makes the exports of flour and wheat from both coasts for week equivalent to 3,533,068 bu, against 3,795,395 bu last week and 1,987,000 bu for corresponding week one year ago.

It is expected that the next visible of wheat will show over 500,000 bu decrease, but some estimates make a small increase probable. One year ago the decrease was 467,000 bu in wheat and 27,000 bu in corn.

English farmers' deliveries of home-grown wheat for week were 66,002 qrs at an average price of 33s 1d per qr, against 73,722 qrs at 33s 10d the week before and 77,358 qrs at 32s 5d for corresponding week last year.

The stock of flour at New York, Feb. 1, was 86,600 barrels spring, against 60,000 bbls, Jan. 1, 600 barrels winter, against 116,000 bbls, Jan. 1, making a total of 188,600 bbls, against 176,000 bbls, Jan. 1, and 278,000 bbls last year.

Farmers' deliveries of wheat since the frost of the year in Manitoba have been very much less than was expected. This was attributed to bad weather, but the last week has been very mild and generally favorable for the delivery of wheat, but still deliveries have kept light.

Exports from four Atlantic ports for week 1,971,000 bu wheat, 1,834,560 bu corn, 291,800 bu oats, 419,500 bu rye, 484,100 sks and bbls flour. These are increases over week before of 128,100 bu wheat, 94,500 bu rye, 77,000 pkgs flour and decreases of 423,000 bu corn and 71,600 bu oats. For same week last year they were 2,227,000 pkgs flour, 200,000 bu wheat, 400,000 bu corn.

Bradstreet says the stocks of available wheat east of the Rocky Mountains in the United States and Canada still away only 2,669,043 bu, as compared with a decrease of 3,351,233 bu in January, 1891. On the Pacific coast a reverse took place. The net decrease last month was 279,356 bu, against 2,531,233 bu in January, 1891. The total available stocks of wheat on Feb. 1 were 72,588,032 bu, as against 54,551,000 bu last year.

The first official reports from the Indian wheat crop are at hand. From them it would appear that the prospects were not unfavorable, and from more recent private cable advices it may be inferred that a crop fully 15 per cent deficient as compared with last year's is to be expected, and that the exportation, excepting under the stimulus of higher prices, is likely to be 3,000,000 or 4,000,000 qrs less than that shipped during the current season, say 3,000,000 qrs, compared with 7,000,000 qrs.

The President has announced that the German Imperial Government has adopted the special treaty with the United States admitting, from and after Feb. 1, 1892, the products of the United States at the following rates of duty, marks per 100 kilogrammes, gross: Oats, flax, linseed, rye, 3.50; oats, 2.50; buckwheat, 2; pulse, 1.50; other kinds of grain not specially mentioned, 1; barley, 2; corn, flour of maize, 1.60; malt, 3.60; agricultural products not otherwise designated, free. Old duties remain in force on wheat, 52.46; rye, 30.20; malt, 19.80; barley, 11.76, and corn, 12.26.

The imports of wheat and flour into France from Aug. 1 to Dec. 31, compared with previous years, according to the Liverpool Corn Trade news, were as follows:

Season.	Bushels. Season.	Bushels.
1891-92	48,744,000 1887-88	21,600,000
1890-91	23,040,000 1887-87	13,200,000
1889-90	12,360,000 1886-87	16,424,000

And stocks of wheat in bond on Jan. 1, 1892:

	Bushels.
Marseilles	6,640,000
Havre	5,176,000
Bordeaux	496,000
Rouen	2,504,000
Dieppe	176,000
Dunkirk	2,760,000
St. Nazaire	744,000
Paris	252,000
Sundry ports	1,464,000
Total of wheat	20,192,000
Flour as wheat	1,216,000
Grand total	21,408,000
Grand total last month	17,152,000
Grand total Jan. 1, 1891	4,832,000
Grand total Jan. 1, 1890	5,224,000

Coffee Market.

As reported by Hanley & Kinsella Coffee and Spice Co.

	St. Louis, Feb. 6, 1892. First Call.	Second Call.	Third Call.
February	13.20	13.25	13.25
March	12.90	13.00	13.00
April	12.85		12.80
May	12.60	12.65	12.70
June	12.40b	12.45	12.40@50
July	12.20b		12.25@35

Mail Pouch coffee in St. Louis at 18.40c.

Rio prices and Exchange unchanged. Receipts, 4,000; clearances, 7,000; stock, 11,000; Europe, 5,000. Market firm. Stock, 219,000. Santos receipts, 12,000; stock, 500,000; market firm.

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SUFFERING AMONG SETTLERS.

Cold Weather Brings Great Hardships to New Comers in Oklahoma.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Feb. 6.—The recent cold weather has caused great suffering among the new settlers in the Indian country. Three deaths have already occurred and several settlers are now in a precarious condition. Mrs. Tolford and Mrs. Warner, living in a tent near Purcell, in the Pottawattomie country, were found dead this morning. They had died from exposure and insufficient clothing and food. E. J. Daniels from Western Kansas died from the same causes near Chandler in the Iowa Country. He leaves a wife and four children, the youngest only 5 weeks old and the eldest 11 years. They are all ill and in the most destitute condition.

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CHANGED HANDS.

A Sheriff Takes Charge of the Detroit "Evening Journal."

DETROIT, Feb. 6.—Sheriff Hamley seized the *Evening Journal* yesterday afternoon on two chattel morgages for William Livingstone, Jr. One mortgage is for $35,000 to bankers Ives & Sons, and the other for $25,000 to World's Fair President Palmer. There is also a large amount of floating indebtedness and the paper is thought to be $100,000 behind. Mr. Livingstone will assume the management of the property at once, but it is generally known that he is merely a figurehead for Mr. Palmer in the transaction. The paper will continue Republican in politics and no changes are announced, although Mr. Brearly, the head of the establishment, will step out.

LOOK out for "Carmody's" 10 o'clock and 4 o'clock Merchants' Lunch.

Refused a Divorce.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 6.—A dispatch from Chicago saying Mrs. Imogene B. Collins of this city had not received a divorce has caused a sensation here. It was learned that Judge Sheppard of Chicago, hearing that Mrs. Collins had remarried, refused to grant her a divorce. A year ago a scandal was caused in local society by the accusation of George Collins that his wife had left him and gone to live with William H. Lyon, a member of the Lyon Brewing Co. The scandal eventually died away and the matter was forgotten until the report was published that Mr. Lyon and Mrs. Collins had been married at St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church in this city. Mr. Lyon said to-day that he understood that a divorce had been granted when he married Mrs. Collins.

Now Is the Time

To visit Hot Springs, Ark., "The Carlsbad of America." A solid train leaves St. Louis at 6:20 p. m. daily, arriving at the Springs 12:50 p. m. the next day. In addition, a through Pullman Buffet sleeping car leaves St. Louis at 9:20 a. m. Equipment unsurpassed. Call on or write City Ticket Agent, 102 North Fourth street, for descriptive and illustrated pamphlet, FREE.

Out of Commission.

NEWPORT, R. I., Feb. 6.—The torpedo boat Stiletto has been laid up for the remainder of the winter; war talk having been abated no more experiments will be made until more favorable weather. United States tug Furnam which has been in the navy yards upon this coast arrived at the torpedo station last night for the purpose of taking on board gun cotton which is to be distributed at the various yards along the coast. The gun cotton factories are still in operation.

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Something over two years ago our boy, then less than 1 year old, was troubled with an eruption on his head, pronounced by our best physicians to be a case of "milk crust or infantile eczema." They also said that it would be impossible to cure it until after he had finished teething. This malady kept spreading until his face was a raw sore, and every few days he would draw his finger nails down on both cheeks, removing the scales, and the blood running down on his chin made him present a ghastly sight. We commenced using CUTICURA REMEDIES, and in two weeks we noticed a wonderful improvement, and in two months his face was fresh and fair, and has been perfectly well ever since. We unhesitatingly give all credit to CUTICURA.
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I was afflicted for seventeen years with a scaly and blotchy humor over my entire breast. At times I would scratch till soreness compelled me to cease. After reading your advertisements at different times, I concluded to give CUTICURA a trial, and, to my astonishment as well as satisfaction, I was cured with one set of CUTICURA REMEDIES, in about two and a half weeks. That has been nearly two years since, and no symptoms of return.
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The new Blood and Skin Purifier, internally, and CUTICURA, the Skin Cure, and CUTICURA SOAP, the exquisite Skin Beautifier, externally, instantly relieve and speedily cure every disease and humor of the skin, scalp and blood, with loss of hair, from infancy to age, from pimples to scrofula.

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PIMPLES, blackheads, red, rough chapped, and oily skin cured by CUTICURA SOAP.

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HE WILL NOT SIGN.

Peter Jackson Will Make No Match With Corbett.

WINDY JIM CAN GET NO MORE ADVERTISING OUT OF THE BLACK.

Until His Fight With Slavin Is Settled, Peter Will Not Make Another Match—George Dixon and Tom O'Rourke, His Manager, Agree to Separate—Sporting News in General.

Peter Jackson, the colored pugilist, was seen this morning regarding the articles of agreement signed yesterday by Jim Corbett to fight the winner of the Slavin-Jackson contest in London next May, at New Orleans, for a purse of $15,000, to be put up by the Olympic Athletic Club of the Crescent City. The gigantic fighter had just awakened from his night's sleep, and when the reporter entered he was brandishing his arms to take the kinks out in a way that seemed rather dangerous. Jackson talked while polishing himself off with a damp towel. He was told what the agreement Corbett had signed was, and he said: "I can say but little, as this is the first I have heard of the matter. I think that Mr. Corbett has had enough advertising at my expense already, and ought to be satisfied. I have said before that I will not fight in New Orleans, not that I don't think I would get fair play, but because of the feeling there against my race. As to signing this agreement, I will say that I shall sign nothing. I will finish the fight I have on hand first, and then look after the others. If I win this fight with Slavin then I will be glad to meet Corbett and give him the first chance if he wants it, but before this fight is over I will not do anything."

"Have you heard from the Olympic people?"

"No, I have not, and I don't expect to. They can have nothing to say to me, as I won't make any agreement beforehand and there is no use talking about it."

The colored pugilist expressed throughout a determination to attend to the affair on hand, and to that only until it was finished, and then look about for the next thing to do.

O'ROURKE AND DIXON AT OUTS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Unless members of George Dixon's vaudeville company, who are trying to settle a little difficulty between the champion feather-weight and his manager, Tom O'Rourke, should be successful the pair will be strangers to each other after to-night. George Dixon is very angry. So is O'Rourke, and from the looks of things last night a reconciliation is doubtful.

The direct cause of the trouble was the disregard of one of O'Rourke's orders by the clever Boston pugilist. He had been meeting all comers at Miner's Bowery Theater this week, and his opponent Thursday was Jim Watson of Paterson. Before the bout began O'Rourke said: "Don't hit this fellow hard, Georgie; he's only an amateur and I don't want him hurt." Dixon was easy on Watson for two rounds, and the Jersey-man, thinking he could get a reputation by besting the champion, began fighting for keeps. He got in several hard blows on Dixon's face and neck before the latter discovered his intention. When the round ended Dixon smiled good naturedly. But it was not a genuine smile. The colored lad was angry, and he could scarcely wait until the third round was called. Directly they faced each other Dixon sent his left with terrific force to the Jersey man's wind. An upper cut with the right and a swing on the jaw with the left actually settled Watson, and the curtain was rung down.

Advancing toward the colored lad, O'Rourke, it is said, struck him a hard blow on the face.

"You're too fresh, George," said he, "and you can take that for your smart trick."

Then the champion declared that he would get a another manager who would not make a punching bag out of him. It was agreed that they should separate at the conclusion of this engagement.

THE TURF.

The track at the East Side course yesterday was in splendid condition, and a good-sized crowd was present to witness the sport. The manner in which the first race was run caused considerable comment. After the horses were started one of them, Red Bud III., pulled up, and the jockeys on the other horses thought it a false start, but on a second thought they all started off again, Stonewall winning easily; as Starter Chinn dropped the flag the race had to go, notwithstanding some vigorous kicking, which was indulged in by parties who happened to have their money on the other horses. Favorites won in all but one race, which was captured by a second choice. The summaries were as follows:

First race, purse, six furlongs—Stonewall, first; Rosewood, second; Tomahawk, third. No time taken.

Second race, selling, six and one-half furlongs—Zantippa, first; Hanselle, second; Iowa, third. Time, 1:24.

Third race, purse, five-eighths of a mile—Vedette, first; School Girl, second; Katurah, third. Time, 1:09.

Fourth race, handicap—Cyrus, first; Spectator, second; Onze, third. Time, 1:42½.

Fifth race, selling, six furlongs—Jubilee, first; Pickup, second; Kate Clark, third. Time, 1:24½.

THE GUTTENBURG MEETING.

The races at the Guttenburg course yesterday resulted as follows:

First race, five furlongs—Broadway, first; Longfing goddess, second; Vanquisher, third. Time, 1:03.

Second race, three-quarters of a mile—Matagorda filly, first; Maxim filly, second; Crab Cider, third. Time, 1:18¾.

Third race, six and a half furlongs—Jay F. Dee, first; Silversmist, second; Character, third. Time, 1:25.

Fourth race, mile and a sixteenth—Glenlochy, first; Van, second; Sir George II., third. Time, 1:53¾.

Fifth race, half a mile—Miss Bess, first; Forty, second; Lucy Hartford filly, third. Time, :50.

Sixth race, one mile—Joe Courtney, first; Sandstone, second; Lonzstride, third. Time, 1:46.

GLOUCESTER RESULTS.

Gloucester results yesterday:

First race, three-fourths of a mile—Fast Time, first; Yasmore, second; Twilight, third. Time, 1:30.

Second race, five-eighths of a mile—Plokidine, first; Woodbury, second; Morrisana, third. Time, 1:05¼.

Third race, six and one-half furlongs—Crispin, first; Fernwood, second; Samaritan, third. Time, 1:26½.

Fourth race, one mile—Judge Nelson, first; Vendetta, second; Ed McGinnis, third. Time, 1:47¾.

Fifth race, four and one-half furlongs—Hawkeye, first; Bonnie Lass, second; Red Elm, third. Time, :57¾.

Sixth race, five-eighths of a mile—Turchlight, first; Austral, second; Defendant, third. Time, 1:05¾.

TRACK TALK.

Trainer Matt Byrnes, formerly with J. B. Haggin, but now with the latter's partner, Marcus Daly, has offered Jockey Jordan $1,000 a year retainer and $25 for winning and $10 for losing mounts in purse races, and $40 for winning mounts and $15 for losing mounts in stake races. Byrne wants Jordan for light-weight jockey for the stable.

The Maryland Legislature is considering a bill to prohibit pool-selling on any but legitimate race tracks, and then only for fifteen days, during which races are run on the tracks. The bill is aimed at the pool-room being run at Arlington under the guise of a race track, the present law permitting pool-selling on race tracks, but prohibiting it elsewhere.

BASE BALL.

Chris Von der Ahe is defendant in a suit which is being tried in Judge Dillon's court. William G. Gray, assignee of the Detroit Base Ball Association, is the complainant. He sues the St. Louis base ball president for $1,600 damages for alleged breach of contract. Gray alleges that upon the dissolution of the Detroit team he entered into a contract with Von der Ahe, in which, for a consideration Von der Ahe agreed to accept Wheelock, Higgins and Virtue, but that Von der Ahe afterwards refused to take Wheelock and Virtue. The defense is that the amount of the consideration was omitted in the contract, and that the contract was conditioned upon the transfer of all three men, and that Higgins was the only one who accepted Von der Ahe's terms.

President Von der Ahe denied this morning that he had signed or was negotiating with Danny Stearns, the first baseman, to succeed Perry Werden. He also stated that he had no intention of replacing Werden, who, he says, satisfies him in every respect.

SPORTING NOTES.

Tschigorin won his sixth game yesterday, after forty-eight moves. Score: Tschigorin, 6; Steinitz, 5; drawn, 4.

John A. Roosevelt's ice yacht Icicle won the American championship contest yesterday at Poughkeepsie, N. Y. Five yachts started. The course was twenty miles, with a number of turns. The Icycle's time was 46:39.

O. W. Brooking and A. Parry of Lynn, proprietors of the Forest Beagle Kennels, Franklin Park, near Boston, Mass., have sold their champion beagle hound Frank Forest to W. S. Gates, Chagrin Falls, O., for $1,000, the highest price ever paid for a beagle.

To Portland, Ore., Without Change,
Via Missouri Pacific and Union Pacific Railways in Pullman Tourist Sleeping cars, leaving St. Louis at 8:20 p. m. daily. Only $8.75 for berth, St. Louis to Portland. Ticket offices 102 North Fourth street and Union Depot.

LOOK out for "Carmody's" 10 o'clock and 4 o'clock Merchants' Lunch.

Mrs. John Sherwood's Lecture.

Mrs. John Sherwood of Washington will give two readings here, one on Feb. 11 and one on the 18th. Mrs. Sherwood's literary attainments are so well known to the world of letters that any comment thereon would be entirely unnecessary.

The readings will be given under the special patronage of Mrs. Rufus J. Lackland, Mrs. Geo. O. Carpenter, Jr., Mrs. Wayman Crow Cushman, Mrs. James F. How, Mrs. Joseph Gilbert Chapman, Mrs. Francis D. Herchberg, Mrs. George W. Allen and Miss Maffett. The number of invitations has been very limited owing to the small seating capacity of the places at which the readings will be given. The first on "Chateau on the Loire" will be given at Mrs. Chapman's, 1714 Lucas place, and the second at the Wednesday club-rooms on Washington and Jefferson avenues.

W. C. T. U. Meetings.

Rev. Anna Shaw will preach to-morrow morning at Unity Church. Subject, "Strength of Character." Afternoon, 4 p. m., Church of the Messiah. Subject, "God's Women." Both lectures are very fine.

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Smoked Out With Sulphur.

OLATHE, Kan., Feb. 6.—John and Marshall Burdge, twins aged 35, have been declared to be insane by the Probate Court, and they will be sent to an asylum. Their father died in an insane asplum, but the malady did not attack his sons until recently, when both became violent at the same time. The officers had great difficulty in effecting their capture. The insane twins barricaded their house and guarded it with drawn revolvers. The officers finally broke in a window and placed a pan of lighted sulphur within. Soon the twins rushed from the house, fleeing as if for life and discharging their weapons in every direction; They were finally captured after a severe struggle.

Grand Excursion to Galveston, Tex., Feb. 8, 1892.
One fare for the round trip, via Iron Mountain route. Elegant Pullman Buffet Sleeping Cars through without change, leaving St. Louis at 8:10 p. m. daily. For particulars, address City Ticket Offices, No. 102 North Fourth street and Union Depot.

Tired Officials.

There are four city officials that heaved a sigh of relief yesterday over the completion of the most tiresome job that ever fell to their lot in performance of official duties. For the past week the Mayor, Comptroller, Treasurer and Register have been affixing their signatures to the big $500 city bonds intended for the London market. To add interest to the otherwise tedious job they wagered Havanas on who could get through the quickest. Maj. Wherry claims the prize for speed, having signed bonds in one hour and twelve minutes, or nearly seven to the minute, while Gen. Stevenson claims the long distance record for 1,600 signatures in a day. The stakes will probable be divided.

THE TRUE SOUTHERN ROUTE TO CALIFORNIA.
Passing through the cities of Little Rock, Texarkana and El Paso. Elegant Pullman Buffet Sleeping cars leave daily at 9:30 p. m., and a tourist sleeping car every Tuesday through without change via Iron Mountain Route. For reservation of berths, time tables, etc., call on or address City Ticket Agent, 102 N. 4th st.

Still in the Brush.

OZARK, Mo., Feb. 6.—A man by the name of Fields attempted to murder John Ward in the southeastern part of this county last Saturday. Ward had filed on a piece of Government land that was claimed by Fields. The two men met at a neighbor's house and Fields knocked him in the head with a piece of wood. Thinking he had killed Ward Fields took to the brush and has not been seen since, he thinking he killed his man, but Ward will likely get well. Fields is still on the dodge and has not been captured yet.

If you desire to be forever free from that terrible appetite for liquor take treatment of the Bi-Chloride of Gold Institute, St. Louis branch, 1719 Washington av.

Patti and Bernhardt.

The middle week of February will be a notable one for St. Louis play-goers and lovers of opera. Both the "divine Patti" and the "incomparable Sara" will visit this city at that time. Patti is billed to appear in one concert at Music Hall in the Exposition Building on the night of Feb. 15. Bernhardt will give four performances at the Grand Opera-house that week, viz., Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings and Wednesday matinee.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, rests the child and comforts the mother. 25c.

"Sixty-Four" Sold.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 6.—The big painting known as "Sixty-Four," or Grant and his generals, the property of Mr. Peter V. Husted of New York, now stored in a safe deposit company vault here, has been purchased by Mr. George S. Studwell of Brooklyn for $25,000. The picture is by Palling, the artist. It was brought to Washington some years ago for the purpose of disposing of it to the Government, but the price asked was regarded as too high.

IT CAN BE SAID

That the nations vie with each other in according praise to the Royal Baking Powder.

The Government of the United States has given the Royal the highest place in its report of the great test made by the Chemical Division of the Agricultural Department.

The Canadian Government speaks emphatically in its praise, and reports it highest of all in leavening power. Professor Valade, Government Chemist of Canada, says: "The Royal is pure, 23 per cent. stronger, and far superior to the others."

The highest official medical authority of England says the Royal gives the highest possible yield of leavening gas, that its ingredients are the most approved, and that it contains nothing deleterious to the most delicate stomach; "from a hygienic point of view, one of the greatest boons that could be given."

CLAIMS HE WAS CRUELLY TREATED.

A Patient at the City Hospital Complains —Dr. Dalton's Denial.

John Linton, who recently left the City Hospital, where he was under treatment for a fractured ankle for nearly two months, claims that he was the victim of the most pronounced inhuman treatment during his stay there. He does not lay any blame on the Superintendent, Dr. H. C. Dalton, but he thinks something ought to be done with his assistant, Dr. Siebold, and one of the nurses, Miss Dutron. "When I was admitted to the hospital," said Linton yesterday, "I was put in the surgical ward upstairs and was attended by Drs. Siebold and Fuchs, both young physicians. I was badly crippled and for a time I got my meals upstairs and they soon put a stop to this, and I was ordered to hobble down stairs on my crutches if I wanted to eat. I told the nurse, Miss Dutron, that I could not walk down stairs, and I was given to understand that if I did not walk down stairs I could do without anything to eat. I did without anything to eat that day, and when driven by sheer hunger to go down stairs, I came within an ace of falling. Coming up, my crutch slipped and I would have fallen, had not one of the detail caught and held me until I recovered myself. The detail out there is made up of patients who are well enough to get around and make themselves useful. Well, things ran along until about the middle of November, when Dr. Siebold put me out of the hospital before my ankle was half well. He had threatened to put me out and he kept his word. I went straight to the City Hall and was sent back again. Dr. Siebold did not like this and I was put out again. I told him I would come back again and so I did. This made him mad and he asked who sent me back. I said Dr. Dudley, of course, and then he said 'You must be a great politician, Linton, to stand in with those big fellows down at the City Hall.' I told him the people down there had some sense and humanity in them. After this I concluded to see Dalton. I told him how I was situated, but he was too busy that day to do anything. I went to see him again, and he said he would arrange things all right. He forgot about it, and I saw him again. He then ordered that I should have my meals sent upstairs. When the nurse and young doctors heard about this they got mad and made things more unpleasant for me. When I was well enough to move about on my crutches I did not ask to have my meals upstairs, but went down with the rest. Even after Dr. Dalton ordered that I should have my meals in the up-stairs room they made me go down stairs or do without them. When my ankle pained me greatly I had to do without my meals, as I was unable to go down and climb up those stairs. I think my treatment out there was cruel to say the least, but I don't think Dr. Dalton would have allowed it, if he knew what was going on."

When told of Linton's charges against his assistant Dr. Dalton said: "That man Linton simply lies. We had our hands full of trouble with him during his stay in the institution. He was a chronic fault-finder and nothing pleased him. He told falsehoods to me about the assistant physicians and nurses and us loaded a big stack of lies to them. He told them among other things that I had detailed him to keep an eye on them and report their doings to me. He came to the hospital at a time when we were crowded to the doors. It was in the midst of the grippe season and the capacity of the hospital was tested to its utmost. Now when this man was really unable to get up and down stairs, he had his meals served up stairs on my order, but when I knew he was able to get around like the other patients in the surgical division I directed him to go to the dining room with the others. Dr. Siebold did not put him out of the hospital on his own authority, but simply executed my order. The hospital was crowded, the man was giving endless annoyance, and I thought him well enough to get out and find other quarters. He got back like others who receive their discharge from the hospital. They go to the Dispensary and wait around there until they are sent out to us. The papers sent with them constitute the warrant for their admission, and we can do nothing else but receive them. We can if we see fit discharge a patient the day after he is admitted."

Dr. David Nowlin, who was the senior assistant on the surgical side of the hospital during Linton's stay, said that he was a very troublesome patient. "He was sent out to us," he said, "Last October, suffering from a fractured ankle, the result of a fight he had with somebody. I saw him ten minutes after he was received in the hospital and every day thereafter until he was discharged. For two weeks he stayed in bed and his meals were brought up to him. He was then considered able to get around and he was provided with a pair of crutches and walked about the division by an attendant. When he was able to descend the stairs he was sent down to his meals with one of the detail with him to prevent any accident. The man was treated kindly and considerately, but he displayed no evidence whatever of gratitude. He was constantly complaining and threatening, and made himself disagreeable to everybody who had anything to do with him."

LOOK out for "Carmody's" 10 o'clock and 4 o'clock Merchants' Lunch.

Missourians at the Metropolis.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Following are the Missourians registered at the hotels this morning: St. Louis—B. Branch, A. C. Chapman, W. Mofitt, Mr. and Mrs. Wooster, W. D. Alexander, B. F. Hammett, A. J. Leineke, Mrs. Lester, Mrs. L. Lipman, and G. W. Fenz; Kansas City—M. B. Abett, H. W. Russell, E. G. Welch.

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Nip and Tuck.
ANNISTON, Ala., Feb. 6.—A David B. Hill Club was organized here last night with 150 members. Similar clubs are being organized in all the towns and cities of the State. A Cleveland Club will be organized to-night. Over 100 voters have signed the call for the organization.

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GRAIN EXPORTS.

Nearly All the Carrying Done in Foreign Vessels.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—William E. Ferguson of the New York Produce Exchange, who is a recognized authority on the statistics of the grain export trade of this port, has just made his annual report. The tables compiled by Mr. Ferguson show the enormous increase of the grain export trade of New York and the dwindling away of the American marine. The American merchant flag is being driven off the seas by Great Britain.

The completeness with which steam has superseded sail in the ocean carrying may be seen from the fact that of 1,238 vessels which carried cargoes of grain from this port during the year 1891 only 15 were sailing vessels. There was shipped from New York during 1891, 68,223,528 bushels of American grain to feed the hungry mouths of Europe. Not included in this were 260,377 bushels of buckwheat, which appears in the statistics for the first time, buckwheat never having been exported before in any quantity.

Of the 1,238 loads only twenty-five were carried under the American flag. There are only four American steamers left in the grain carrying trade. They are the old passenger steamers of the late American Line, which used to run from Philadelphia under the control of the Pennsylvania Railroad. The four lonesome steamers, about all that is left of the American transatlantic merchant marine, made twenty-five voyages during the year. Great Britain has had the lion's share of the world's carrying trade and no less than 792 ship loads left this port under the British flag last year.

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GRIP EPIDEMIC.

Reports Show a Slight Decrease in Its Virulence.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 6.—Special dispatches from numerous points in Michigan and Indiana, indicate a slight cessation of the epidemic of grip that has prevailed throughout these States during the past two months. In a number of places, however, the disease is raging with unabated strength.

At Ann Arbor there are about 1,800 cases. Many of the most prominent citizens of the town and a considerable number of students and professors at the State University are among the sufferers.

Upward of 3,000 cases of the disease are said to be in the county in which Coldwater, Mich., is located. Bloomington and Shelbyville, Ind., each report from 2,000 to 3,000 cases. At the latter place the death rate has been heavy comparatively, over 200 fatal results being reported.

In the other towns, while the deaths are not as numerous as when the disease first appeared, and are confined almost wholly to the aged, the mortality is still so large as to excite alarm. Physicians express the belief that the worst is over and are confident of their ability to stay its ravages.

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Havel,	Tues.,	April 5.	Aller,	Sat.,	May 21.
Trave,	Sat.,	April 9.	Trave,	Tues.,	May 24.
Lahn,	Tues.,	April 12.	Ems,	Sat.,	May 28.
Elder,	Sat.,	April 16.	Havel,	Tues.,	May 31.
Spree,	Tues.,	April 19.	Saale,	Sat.,	June 4.
Elbe,	Wed.,	April 20.	Lahn,	Tues.,	June 7.
Aller,	Sat.,	April 23.	Elder,	Sat.,	June 11.
Trave,	Tues.,	April 26.	Spree,	Tues.,	June 14.
Ems,	Sat.,	April 30.	Elbe,	Wed.,	June 15.
Havel,	Tues.,	May 3.	Aller,	Sat.,	June 18.
Saale,	Sat.,	May 7.	Trave,	Tues.,	June 21.
Lahn,	Tues.,	May 10.	Ems,	Sat.,	June 25.
Elder,	Sat.,	May 14.	Havel,	Tues.,	June 28.
Spree,	Tues.,	May 17.	Saale,	Sat.,	July 2.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the State Bank of St. Louis will be held at the office of said Bank, corner Third and Vine streets, on Monday, Feb. 8, between the hours of 9 and 12 o'clock a. m., for the election of seven directors to serve for the ensuing year.
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